THE WEATHER

Generally fair; much colder tonight; Friday, fair, continued cold.

THE LOWELL SUN

6 O'CLOCK

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COUNT TISZA STARTED WAR

Behind Plot To Assassinate Archduke and His Wife at Sarajevo

Former Hungarian Premier, Who Was Later Murdered, Accused by Priest

BERNE, Wednesday, March 12.—Charges that the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand and his wife, the Duchess of Hohenberg, at Sarajevo, on June 28, 1914, was the result of a deliberate plot led by the late Count Tisza, formerly Hungarian premier, are made in a pamphlet written by a priest who was the spiritual adviser of the duchess, according to a Vienna despatch to the Frankfort Gazette. The pamphlet, entitled "The Sarajevo murder and Count Tisza's responsibility for the world war," is said to have made a profound impression in Austria.

It is declared that Francis Ferdinand repeatedly refused to go to Sarajevo and that it was only an appeal to his courage that induced him to make the trip.

"The most elementary precautions were omitted," it is stated by the priest. "He was simply led into a trap prepared by the court at Vienna and by the Hungarian aristocracy, headed by Count Tisza."

The general idea of the pamphlet is that Magyar magnates with the consent of the Vienna court, wished to get rid of the archduke, who was extremely disliked and obtain vengeance for the murder at the expense of the Jugo-Slavs, who would be made helpless. It is pointed out that no "proper inquiry was ever made into the tragedy and that no one was made responsible for the fact that precautionary measures were not taken."

Count Stephen Tisza was assassinated at Budapest on Nov. 1, 1918.

After the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand, it was Count Tisza who took the initiative against Serbia. It is said that the ultimatum sent to Serbia on July 23, 1914, was largely his work. He is reported to have communicated in the meantime with the German foreign office, with the result that a conclave of Emperor William's military family at Potsdam, early in June, 1914, made plans for immediate war.

LEMONS BRING OUT THE HIDDEN BEAUTY

Make this lotion for very little cost and just see for yourself.

An attractive skin wins admiration. In social life and in business the girl or woman whose face and hands show evidence of constant care enjoys a tremendous advantage over those who do not realize the value of a healthy skin and a spotless complexion.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juce is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan, and is the ideal skin softener, smoothener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It naturally should help to soften, freshen, bleach and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin.—Adv.

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SUNDAY, MARCH 16, AT 8 P. M.
Friends Welcome. Admission, 50c
Members Admitted on Membership Ticket

GERMAN PRESS STIRRED

Over Reports That Peace Treaty Will Provide That Poland Shall Have Danzig

BERLIN, Wednesday, March 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Reports from Paris that the peace treaty will provide that Poland shall have Danzig and that a buffer state shall be formed along the Rhine, have stirred up the German press, both conservative and radical.

"It is to be hoped there is nobody in Germany who would suffer such a treaty to be signed," says the Tageblatt.

HUN ENVOYS SHALL NOT PASS GATES OF PARIS

PARIS, March 13 (By A.P.).—When the time for the signing of the peace treaty arrives, it is understood, Germany's representatives will be housed in one of the palaces at Versailles and will not be permitted to enter Paris, as the French government does not care to undertake to afford protection to Germans in Paris.

While the German signatories will not actually be prisoners and must not be treated as such, public sentiment against Germany is so high in Paris that the French government is unwilling to risk unpleasant incidents which might occur were the official German representatives to appear publicly.

THE GRANTING OF LIQUOR LICENSES

The power of the local license commission to issue licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors for any part of the license year beginning next May applies to special club licenses as well as other licenses, according to an opinion given to the license commission today by City Solicitor William D. Regan.

Mr. Regan maintains that the provisions of chapter 100, section 88, of the revised laws, give this permission.

The commission has also asked Mr. Regan for an opinion on the following situation:

"An application for a motor bus license has been filed with the license commission, the applicant also submitting a copy of a motor bus bond in the sum of two hundred dollars ($200.00), approved by the authorities in an adjoining city in this commonwealth.

"As you are aware the local motor bus ordinance provides that a $5000.00 bond be approved before the commission may issue a license.

"The license commission would therefore respectfully ask whether or not, in your opinion, they would be required to grant a license to the applicant above referred to, assuming that he is a fit person to receive a license?"

In reply, Mr. Regan opines that the commission has no alternative but to decline to issue a license and let the courts determine the matter or the legislature amend the existing act.

The local license commission requires a $5000 bond while in certain adjoining cities, notably Lawrence, a bond of only $200 is considered adequate. The public service commission has been appealed to by the local authorities to stabilize the amount of the bonds required in various cities and towns of the commonwealth but as yet not definite results has been forthcoming.

WEATHER PREDICTION

NEW YORK, March 13.—The weather bureau today issued the following announcement:

"Northeast storm warning hoisted in a. m., Sandy Hook to Eastport; north, shifting to northeast gales this afternoon and tonight; much colder weather."

TO CLASSIFY MOSQUITOES

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Medical officers at all army camps throughout the country have been ordered by Surgeon General Ireland to obtain one or more specimens of every specie of mosquito found in the vicinity of their camps. The mosquitoes will be classified and placed in the army medical museum.

A certain young man of careful habits in dress recently told us that the reason he always wears

Merrimack Hats

is that they not only represent his ideas of style better than any other hats, but that he receives better service because they retain their "newness" longer.

Only fine materials can be relied upon to make a hat appear new after considerable wear, and if style also is present the result is most gratifying, and "Mallory Hats" always gratify. Even the maker's guaranty is a source of gratification, and the new Spring shades are another.

Merrimack Clothing Co.
Across from City Hall.

POLICE COURT NEWS

Young Men Arrested by Sheriff Martin Conway Held For Grand Jury

"But I didn't steal the money," protested Romeo Bernaby in police court this morning when he was charged, in company with Thomas Reilly, another young man, with breaking and entering the Yorick club on Dutton street early last Sunday morning and stealing $100 in cash. "Yes, I admit that I opened the cash register and took out a big roll of bills, but when the watchman came upstairs and caught me I put the money back." After hearing the evidence against the pair Judge Enright found probable cause to believe them guilty and they were held in the sum of $1000 each for the grand jury.

Both young men were formerly employed at the club, Bernaby having been discharged a few days ago as the result of the manager's suspicions in the matter of several packages of cigarets and some cigars which mysteriously disappeared. About 1.30 Sunday morning they dropped around to the club and forced an entrance by a rear door by picking the lock

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GMYREK LOSES BIG SUM OF MONEY

"I have lost every dollar I owned, I am out of work and I haven't even got 15 cents to buy a quart of milk for my babies."

This statement was made this morning by Jozef Gmyrek of 4, rear of 44 Cross street, when he called at the police station to ask the police to help him find the $2500 or more he lost Monday morning while going to his home from the Five Cents Savings bank.

Mr. Gmyrek stated that Monday after deciding to purchase a piece of real estate at the corner of East Merrimack and High streets, he borrowed over $1500 from a relative and then went to the bank and drew his savings, which amounted to a little over $900. He put all the money together and placed the roll in the inside pocket of his overcoat and went directly to his home, but upon entering the house he found that his money was gone. He has inserted "ads" in local newspapers, but so far his efforts to recover the money have been fruitless, and as a last resort he asked the police to do something for him.

Mr. Gmyrek came to this country from Poland about nine years ago and shortly after his arrival in Lowell he was married. He and his wife worked steadily in the mills and through the most rigid economy succeeded in saving $900, despite the fact that three children were born to them. Mr. Gmyrek's last employment was at the Tremont & Suffolk mills, but he has been out of work for the past two weeks, and the loss of his money is a great blow to him and his wife.

When questioned at the police station Mr. Gmyrek stated that after drawing his money from the bank he went directly to his home and did not stop nor speak to anyone en route and cannot account for the mysterious disappearance of his roll. He feels his loss terribly and offers a very substantial reward for the recovery of his money.

Bad Stomach—Nearly Starved To Death

Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Both Eat Anything They Want Now

"I have had stomach trouble and constipation for three years. I could not eat anything and almost starved to death. After I began to take Milks Emulsion I began to eat anything I wanted. I feel like a new woman and am doing my own work again.

"My husband also was badly afflicted with stomach trouble and for a long time lived on soup and light diet. Eight bottles of Milks Emulsion cured him sound and well and he can eat as much solid food as he likes."—Mrs. George Hampton, 503 North 12th St., Charleston, Ill.

Thousands of people have used Milks Emulsion with the same result that Mrs. Hampton describes. It costs nothing to try—it is guaranteed.

Milks Emulsion is a pleasant, nutritive food and a corrective medicine. It restores healthy, natural bowel action, doing away with all need of pills and physics. It promotes appetite and quickly puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food. As a builder of flesh and strength, Milks Emulsion is strongly recommended to run-down nervous people, and it has produced amazing results in many cases of tuberculosis of the lungs. Chronic stomach trouble and constipation are promptly relieved—usually in one day.

This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is eaten with a spoon like ice cream. A truly wonderful medicine for weak, sickly children.

No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milks Emulsion under this guarantee—Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions and if not satisfied with the results, your money will be promptly refunded. Price 60c and $1.20 per bottle. The Milks Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind. Sold and guaranteed by Fred Howard.—Adv.

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URGES FREEDOM FOR IRELAND

Situation Extremely Bad—Need of Self Government More Urgent Than Ever

Dangerous Situation Can Only Be Handled by Irish Parliament

LONDON, March 13.—Prominence is given by the Mail to a Dublin despatch representing the situation in Ireland as extremely bad and maintaining that the need of effective self-government is more urgent than ever before.

"Now that the Sinn Fein members of the house of commons have been released," the despatch says, "there will be a new assembly of the Irish parliament which will probably be a very troublous affair without an authoritative administration to balance its activities. Labor troubles of greatest import are growing and it is impossible for the British government to handle them. There is barely a section of Irish labor which is not preparing or threatening to strike for demands which no employers can possibly grant. The well-intentioned schemes of General Viscount French, lord lieutenant, for social and industrial improvement, have gone by the board, and there is a dangerous situation which can be handled only by an Irish parliament."

NO REDUCTION IN PRICE OF COAL

There is plenty of coal in Lowell at present, but the coal dealers hold out no hopes in regard to lower prices this season. In fact, they would not be at all surprised to see an upward revision in the price scale in the near future.

Just now, the dealers say, there is plenty of coal in the city; too much coal, it may be said, because it is coal that was purchased at high prices in order to ensure enough coal to carry Lowell through the winter. And "there's the rub."

Another reason for the increase in coal, according to the local dealers, is that men have returned to the mines to work since the armistice was signed. More coal than ever before it being mined, and the miners are working only three days a week. The government is not demanding it for shipping or cantonments. At Camp Devens alone enough coal is piled up to last for two years. The estimate is 20,000 tons. Other cantonments too, are all full. There is, therefore, no call from that quarter.

There is plenty of coal piled up at the mines, and in spite of reduced hours of the miners, the black diamonds are being mined more rapidly than they can be used. This necessitates getting it away from the mines, and results in the situation today, when almost any dealer has but to ask and he gets all the coal he requires.

The Sun man was allowed to read one or two letters, or rather they were read to him. One of them was soliciting the dealer to buy, which is something unknown for a long time. The only drawback to coal in Lowell is the price—$12 or more a ton, plus the cost of carrying it up or down stairs, as the case may be.

As to the price, the dealers all agree that there is no prospect of any reduction on April 1, as has in former years been the case. The indications are that the present price will be increased 10 cents per ton per month for the next five months. The dealers say that this is due entirely to the high wages of the miners, and there is no prospect of them being any lower for a long time to come.

STORE ENTERED BUT NOTHING MISSING

The liquor establishment of Edward Gallagher at 165 Chelmsford street was broken into early Sunday morning, but so far the proprietor has been unable to find anything missing. It is believed that the burglar was frightened away before he had time to do anything, by a neighbor, who after hearing noise in the store went outside and looked through one of the windows of the shop.

Henry Wollman, a barber, who resides at 163 Chelmsford street, just over the Gallagher store, heard a strange noise at about 3.30 o'clock Sunday morning and went out to investigate. Upon reaching the sidewalk he saw that the large plate glass on the Chelmsford street side of the Gallagher store had been broken and looking inside he saw a man near the cash register. Mr. Wollman claims that at that very moment a shot was fired and he quickly got under cover. Another neighbor also claims that she heard the report of the shot, but no trace of a bullet could be found in or outside the store. Be that as it may, however, the thief made his escape and the following day when Mr. Gallagher looked over his stock he could not find anything missing, and the cash register was untouched. The police were notified of the break and Sergt. McCloughrey was sent out on the case.

DISCUSSED HEATING

Commissioner Marchand of the public property department called in a number of the leading heating men of the city yesterday to discuss the heating of the new portable school which is soon to be opened adjacent to the Washington school. Various plans were discussed, and it is probable that the school will be in full operation next week.

Spartacans Driven Out of East Berlin---Large Number Taken Prisoners---Many Executed

Caruso's Income Tax $153,933.70

NEW YORK, March 13.—Enrico Caruso will pay an income tax of $153,933.70 for 1918. He visited the collector's office yesterday and presented a check for $38,483.42, one-fourth of the total amount.

Voters To Pass On Two Platoon System

BOSTON, March 13.—The legislative committee on cities voted today to report favorably a bill to permit voters to pass upon the question of adopting the two platoon system for municipal fire departments, the plan to become effective upon its adoption by a majority of the voters of any city or town.

Calamity To Recall Allies From Siberia

TORONTO, Ont., March 13.—Captain W. E. Dunham of the Y.M.C.A., who returned today from service with the Canadians under Brigadier General Ensley at Vladivostok, said that "to withdraw the allied forces from Siberia would be little less than a calamity." He is the first Canadian to return from Siberia.

"Since their arrival," he added, "there is now comparative order instead of complete chaos, and life, property and travel are safe. Siberia is as well governed as any place I know of in this way."

He said that Bolshevism was rife in Siberia, but could not get in its deadly work owing to the presence of the allies.

Girl Auto Bandit Sentenced

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—Twenty-year-old Florence Duke, motor bandit and stool pigeon for highwaymen, was sentenced today to 12 years' imprisonment for stealing automobiles. She refused an offer of clemency extended by the judge provided she would reveal the names of her accomplices.

It was testified that she had confessed to stealing between 25 and 30 motor cars, many of which were traced to South Jersey towns. On on occasion she drove a car and piloted four highwaymen to a big truck and assisted in the holdup of the truck driver.

When but 15 she eloped from her Lawrence, Mass., home with a youth who is now serving a 10 years' sentence in this state.

34 Reservists Landed From Toloa

HALIFAX, N. S., March 13.—Thirty-four British reservists whose homes are in the United States, landed today from the transport Toloa, the captain of which reported yesterday that 300 British soldiers had threatened to sink the ship unless they were put ashore and given transportation to their homes. The men who came off the transport this morning, left immediately for their homes in Massachusetts and New York.

The Toloa later proceeded for New York with the other British reservists, who were enlisted in the United States.

G.O.P. "Listening Post" at Chicago

CHICAGO, March 13.—Will Hays, chairman of the Republican National committee, was here today to establish a "listening post" with the purpose of observing the political sentiment of the nation. Conferences of the party leaders will be held daily for the next few days, and before his departure he will select a man to take charge of the Chicago headquarters.

Man and Five Children Perished

FRANKLIN, Me., March 13.—Emery Colson, aged about 52, and five of his six children were burned to death today, at East Franklin. Colson's farm buildings and those of John Walton, his father-in-law, which adjoined, were burned. The children ranged in age from two weeks to 14 years.

BRITISH IMPORTATIONS

Free Trades Papers Sharply Criticize the Government's Policy

LONDON, March 13.—Free trades newspapers are sharply criticizing the government's policy regarding importations, as disclosed by Sir Auckland E. Geddes, minister for national service and reconstruction, in the house of commons on Monday. He said that all importations of manufactured or semi-manufactured commodities which permitted to enter Great Britain would be controlled by a system of special licenses until September 1, when the question would be reviewed. The newspapers denounce this proposal as an attempt to introduce protection without any mandate from the voters, insist that a great majority of the voters are opposed to a protective system, and declare that England is still a free trade country at heart. They say that Great Britain gained her commerce and financial supremacy through free trade and can hold it only by free trade.

One point on which newspapers of all shades and views on the tariff are agreed is that after British manufacturers and merchants have "enjoyed the sort of protection afforded them by the license system, the vested interests will have been upbuilt or at least fostered, which will make it difficult to revert to a free trade basis."

From the viewpoint of importers, the license system handicaps them with all the disadvantages of a protective tariff without its stabilizing virtue of certainty.

The government is able to present strong reasons for special measures. British industries have been torn to pieces by the war.

England is swarming with American business men who came over fully expecting to re-establish their old connections as soon as the vital factor of tonnage permitted. They realized that while the war was being waged, the allied governments had the first call on shipping, regardless of private interests. They have the tonnage now, but find that official barriers have been erected against their using it.

Some think they have a grievance. They kept up their British establishments at a loss during the war on teh

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ASK FOR
SWAN-RUSSELL HATS
WORN BY WELL-DRESSED MEN

OPEN KIEL CANAL TO THE WORLD

PARIS, March 13.—The status of the Kiel canal has been settled by the commission on the basis of the freedom of use for all nations for merchant vessels or warships in time of peace. The canal would continue under German ownership and operation.

RADICALS ARE MOWED DOWN

Government Troops Rout Spartacans—Use Artillery and Mine Throwers

Large Number Captured—Many Executed—Arms and Ammunition Taken

BERLIN, Wednesday, March 12. (By the Associated Press.)—Spartacan forces under pressure from government troops using artillery and mine throwers, were abandoning their posi-

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MAIL YOUR INCOME TAX CHECKS

Despite the herculean efforts of Collector John F. Malley and his associates to accommodate the federal income tax payers, his efforts are being seriously hindered by those who are jamming their way into the offices simply to file non-taxable returns or personally to hand in their completed returns with their checks. These should be mailed to the federal income tax office in Boston.

All this week the deputies at the local postoffice have been besieged by crowds that make it almost impossible to serve with satisfaction. The deputies found that many simply wanted to file their returns in person. Others thought their returns should not be trusted to the mails and demanded the special attention of the deputy in many instances where it was entirely unnecessary. The troubles of all can be made lighted by using the mails in forwarding complete returns.

The cancelled check is sufficient receipt for the payment of the tax, and through an edict issued today by Collector Malley, and approved by the treasury officials at Washington, taxpayers may mail their returns with check or bank draft enclosed, up to midnight Saturday. If the post mark shows that the tentative or regular return was in the mail at 12 midnight Saturday, the taxpayer is exempt from all penalties.

NEW BOILER IS BIG COAL SAVER

According to the engineer and fireman employed in the basement of city hall, the large tubular boiler which was installed late last fall in the municipal building is burning only half the coal that was burnt last winter by the three old boilers and is giving general satisfaction all around. Two of the new boilers were installed, but only one is being used and the other employed only during extremely cold weather. Where it was necessary to keep three boilers going all the time last winter, only one is giving out heat this year.

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PLAID SKIRTS

Stylish Sport Skirts in all the latest New York styles, new novelties, new silk, new wool plaids. Priced

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NEW STYLES EVERY DAY

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MILLINERY SPECIALS

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Sample line of Untrimmed Hats, all this season's goods, including hats of fine lisere straw, real milan, banded pineapple sailors, some with fine straw brim and rough crowns. Mostly hand blocked hats, black, navy, henna, taupe, sand and white. Every hat desirable and should retail from $5.00 to $9.00 each. Friday and Saturday..... **$3.75**

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New Plaids, New Stripes, New Chambrays and Real Anderson Ginghams. Smart little high waisted styles.

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Every indication points to the fact that plaids are going to be the high class novelty for this season. We are prepared with the finest and choicest and most extensive line of exclusive plaids of any store north of oston. We invite every woman in this city to come and examine these handsome plaids and note the beautiful combinations of colorings. Whether you wish to purchase or not we will be pleased to show you. Prices range from **$1.29** to **$6.49** Yd.

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WOMEN'S SILK LISLE UNION SUITS

Fine quality, reinforced French band, no sleeves and tight knee. Regular price $1.75 and $2.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday..... **$1.25**

WOMEN'S COTTON UNION SUITS

Fine ribbed, sleeveless, shell or tight knee, regular and outsizes. Regular price $1.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday **75c**

WOMEN'S SWISS RIBBED VESTS

Fine quality ribbed cotton, lisle finish, French band, no sleeves. Regular price 59c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **39c**

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CHILDREN'S SILK LISLE HOSE—Extra good quality, made with 4-thread, heel and toe. Colors are black, white, medium and dark brown. Sizes 6 to 9 1-2. Regular price 50c to 75c. Sale price, **39¢, 3 for $1.00**

BOYS' HEAVY WEIGHT RIBBED HOSE—Made with 4-thread heel and toe. Sizes 6 to 10. Regular price 39c pair. Sale price ..... **29¢ Pair**

INFANTS' FINE WHITE SILK LISLE HOSE—All sizes. Regular price 50c. Sale price, **35, 3 Pairs for $1.00**

WOMEN'S COTTON HOSE—Medium weight, full fashioned, double soles and high spliced heels. Regular price 75c. Sale price..... **50¢ Pair**

WOMEN'S HOSE—Black silk lisle, double soles and high spliced heels. Regular price 50c. Sale price **29¢ Pair**

WOMEN'S OUTSIZE SILK HOSE—Lisle tops and feet, double sole and high spliced heels, full fashioned, in black and white. Regular price $2.00. Sale price **$1.65 Pair**

MEN'S HOSE—Cotton Hose, double soles and high spliced heels, in black, gray and tan. Regular price 25c. Sale price ..... **19¢, 3 for 50¢**

MEN'S HOSE—Silk lisle, double sole, high spliced heels, in black, gray and medium brown. Regular price 39c. Sale price .... **29¢, 4 for $1.00**

MEN'S HOSE—Extra fine quality silk lisle, double sole and high spliced heels, in black, gray and cordovan. Regular price 50c. Sale price.. **35¢, 3 for $1.00**

MEN'S FULL FASHIONED SILK HOSE—Double sole, high spliced heels, in black, Russian calf, gray, navy and Palm Beach. Regular price $1.00. Sale price ..... **2 Pairs for $1.50**

MEN'S SILK HOSE—Double soles, high spliced heels, in black, cordovan, navy and gray. Regular price 75c. Sale price ..... **55¢, 2 Pairs for $1.00**

MEN'S SILK HOSE—Extra fine quality, double sole, high spliced heels, in black, cordovan, navy and gray. Regular price $1.35. Sale price **$1.10 Pair**

WOMEN'S FIBRE SILK HOSE—Double soles and heels, in black, light, medium gray, navy, beaver, fawn and white. Regular price $1.00. Sale price **79¢ Pair**

WOMEN'S HOSE—Silk lisle, double soles and high spliced heels, full fashioned, in black and white. Regular price 85c. Sale price..... **65¢ Pair**

WOMEN'S HOSE—Silk lisle, full fashioned, double soles, high spliced heels, regular and outsizes, in black and white. Regular price $1.00. Sale price, **85¢ Pair**

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE—Lisle tops and feet full fashioned, high spliced heels, in black, cordovan, Russian calf, taupe, light gray, navy and white. Regular price $2.00. Sale price..... **$1.65 Pair**

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE—Lisle top and feet, full fashioned, double sole and high spliced heels, in black, white and colors. Regular price $1.50. Sale price **$1.15 Pair**

WOMEN'S SILK LISLE HOSE—Seam in back, double sole and high spliced heels, in black and colors. Regular price 65c. Sale price..... **50¢ Pair**

OUTBREAK OF INFLUENZA

150 Cases of "Flu" and 50 of Pneumonia Developed on Trip of America

NEW YORK, March 13.—One hundred and fifty cases of influenza and 50 cases of pneumonia developed on the trip of the transport America, which arrived today from Brest. Five pneumonia victims died, including Sergeant Ralph Reed Malcolm of Stoughton, Mass.

Col. Charles Pelis, a regular army officer commanding the 104th Artillery, was reported dangerously ill of pneumonia when the ship docked.

Lieut. W. W. Hawke, the ship's surgeon, attributed the outbreak to the fact that 40 men suffering from influenza and bronchial troubles had evaded medical officers at Brest and come aboard, in their anxiety to get home, without reporting their illness.

Private Emery J. Denault of St. Albans, Vt., a casual who returned on the America, was with the "Lost Battalion" in the Argonne. Later in the same sector, he was wounded in the head by shrapnel.

GERMAN DELEGATION TO PEACE CONFERENCE

WEIMAR, Wednesday, March 12.—(By the Associated Press)—The German delegates to the peace conference will be Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, the foreign minister, Dr. Eduard David, majority socialist and first president of the National Assembly, Dr. Adolph Warburg; Dr. Adolph Mueller, minister to Switzerland; Professor Walter M. A. Schuecking of Marburg university and Herr Geisberg, minister of posts and telegraph in the Prussian ministry.

Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau is a graduate of the German imperial diplomacy and has been foreign minister since the resignation of Dr. Solf. Dr. David is a member of the German ministry without portfolio. The identity of Dr. Adolph Warburg is uncertain.

Dr. Mueller formerly was director of the Electric Accumulator Works at Berlin and in July, 1915, received an honorary degree from the University of Hanover for his work in developing the efficiency of German submarines.

Prof. Schucking late in 1914 published a letter blaming Russia for the European war. Herr Geisberg is a new comer in the German government.

GETS $75,000 FOR LOSS OF LEGS

CLEVELAND, March 13.—All records for personal injury damages in Ohio courts were broken yesterday when a jury in common pleas court awarded Victor D. Miller of Cleveland $75,000 against the Pennsylvania railroad and the Toledo, Columbus & Ohio railroad, a subsidiary line, for the loss of both legs. Miller sued for $100,000.

The highest previous verdict in a county court for personal injuries was $55,000.

Miller, who is manager of a small hotel in Cleveand, was run over by a freight train at Cambridge, O.

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Sample Package of the Famous Pyramid Pile Treatment Now Offered Free to Prove What It Will Do for You.

Pyramid Pile Treatment gives quick relief from itching, bleeding or protruding piles, hemorrhoids and

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VULCANIZED KANT KUM OUT SHAVING BRUSH

Bristles set in hard rubber. Ebony handles.....25¢ and 35¢

COBURN'S WITCH HAZEL, triple distilled. An after-shaving luxury. Pint.....30¢

BAY RUM (imported) made from fresh bay leaves and selected Porto Rican rum. Pint....65¢

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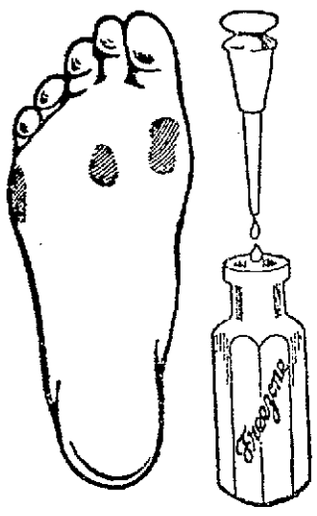
"CALLUS CORNS LIFT RIGHT OFF"

Doesn't hurt a bit to lift them off with fingers



Don't suffer! A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store. Apply a few drops on the corns, calluses and "hard skin" on bottom of feet, then lift them off.

When Freezone removes corns from the toes or calluses from the bottom of feet, the skin beneath is left pink and healthy and never sore, tender or irritated.

Police Court News

Continued

with some skeleton keys which Bernaby had in his possession.

They made their way to the safe and cash register on the second floor. The noise of the cash register being opened attracted the attention of the night watchman who had been doing some work in the cellar. The pair heard him coming up the stairs and Reilly hid in the coatroom. Before Bernaby could make himself scarce the night watchman came into the room and found the young man behind the counter with a roll of bills amounting to nearly two hundred dollars in his hand.

The watchman persuaded him to put the money back in the cash register, and ordered the two boys to clear out, which they lost no time in doing. Later he reported the affair to the manager. The boys testified that the watchman saw them the following day and advised them to get out of town as soon as possible, but this was denied by the latter.

Conway on the Job

Monday the boys went to Lawrence, where they stayed until last evening. Early in the night, in company with Bernaby's brother, Archibald whom they had met in the down-river city, the trio started back to Lowell on foot. While in the vicinity of Stanley's-on-the-Merrimack they were seen by Sheriff Martin Conway, who was on his way to the down river city in his machine, and immediately recognized them from descriptions given him by the Lowell police. The sheriff stopped his car, arrested and held them for the local police. Sergt. Bigelow soon arrived on the scene, and escorted the young men to the station here. There appeared to be no evidence of Archibald's connection with the Yorick club break, and he was not arraigned with the other two boys this morning, although he is still being held in custody.

House of Correction

That he broke open the back door to her home, smashed up some of her dishes and furniture and wound up by setting fire to the house, was the testimony of Mrs. Thomas Mainville when she took the stand against her husband, Thomas E., who was present on complaints charging him with drunkenness and non-support.

Thomas admitted that he had not lived with his better half for about eight months, also that for several weeks he had failed to contribute regularly to the support of his family, as ordered by the court some time ago. He denied breaking into her home last evening, or that he had set fire to the house.

The arresting officer and a young man who had been in the vicinity corroborated the woman's story, and Mainville was sentenced to five months in the house of correction.

FIRST PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Rev. A. B. Riggs, pastor, presided over the annual meeting of the First Pentecostal church, which was held last evening in the church parlors. A feature of the meeting was the election of officers, which resulted as follows: Stewards, Charles Burtl, Oliver Carls, Weldon Fader, John Frazee, Harold Gales, Miles Laffay, Simon Lunn, Charles Randlett, Edwin Sleeper, Mrs. Nellie Barnard, Mrs. Amanda Cove, Mrs. Fannie Kendall, Miss Edith Moooeys; trustee, James Doherty; ushers, George Cheney, Harold Gale, Geo. Ashley, Weldon Fader, William Metherall, John Gordon, John Cotton. Delegates to the district assembly, held in April, Messrs. Weldon Fader, Edwin Sleeper, Mrs. Joseph Barnard, Mrs. James Cove, Misses M. Lombard, Rose M. Wright.

Several reports were read but the most important was that of the treasurer, which showed the sum of $7747.57 raised during the year and of this sum $797.80 has been given to missions. The sum of $75 was pledged to educational work during the year. It was also reported that the sum of $319 was spent for the poor during the year and that the sum of $390.63 was raised by the membership committee.

DELEGATES ENTERTAINED

Delegates to the special meeting of the inter-church council of the Methodist denomination in Lowell, were entertained at supper last evening at the Worthen Street church. Mrs. Hugh Green had charge of the supper, assisted by members of the home missionary society. The council meets for the purpose of discussing plans and problems connected with the taking of a survey of the city on missionary work, in connection with the coming centenary.

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For Men and Young Men

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Young men will find clever models and new woolens in plain weaves, mixtures or stripes. The Suits for young men are particularly smart—the new skirt model seam half or all the way round is the most popular model for the men who are looking for extreme styles.

Some Suits are quarter lined with silk, others full lined with alpaca or serge.

Our Men's models have now lines and possess that smart look that most young men are seeking.

We are sole agents for Adler-Rochester clothes. Highest grade tailoring and designing in high grade woolens.

Special Prices $30.00 to $45.00

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$25.00 to $45.00

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Women's Gloves

Should be chosen carefully. Gloves mean so much to the well groomed woman.

WOMEN'S FILOSETTE GLOVES, all colors. $1.00

WOMEN'S SILK GLOVES, heavy, all colors.....75¢

WOMEN'S SILK GLOVES, extra quality, double tip and colors $1.00

WOMEN'S IMPORTED GLOVES, kid, black with white, gray, white with black, ...$3.00

BRIEFS

Easter Cards may be found in numbers at the Stationery Department, Street Floor.

Kiddies Haircutting is only 25¢ in the morning. Kiddies Barber Shop.

Avoid the afternoon crowds and save money.

Rest a While at the Victrola Department on the Fourth Floor

You can buy Furniture on the Morris Plan Without Interest.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

MEN'S $3.00 PAJAMAS, in madras and pongee with double silk frog, $2.00

MEN'S $2 and $2.50 NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, in fine percale, madras and pongee, soft cuffs, coat styles, $1.65

MEN'S FIBRE SILK HALF HOSE, in navy blue and gray with double heel, sole and toe.....29¢

MEN'S SPLIT FOOT HALF HOSE, all sizes.....25¢

MEN'S DOUBLE SILK GLOVES, in plain gray or gray with black, $1.50

New Spring Oxfords and Pumps

HAVE ARRIVED IN THE BASEMENT SHOE STORE

$6.00

$6.50

Patent Colt or Black Kid Pumps in high or low heel, patent colt viel kid—black or brown calf oxfords...$6.00 and $6.50

DAINTY UNDERMUSLINS

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CAMISOLES, flesh color satin, trimmed with dainty lace, 98c to $2.50

GOWNS, pink and white crepe de chine, trimmed with tiny rosebuds and flowing ribbons $1.98

ENVELOPE CHEMISES, nainsook and good quality cotton, trimmed with lace and others with fine hamburg $1.39

CORSET COVERS, complete line to select from.

HOSIERY

When you buy a pair of good stockings you will find it to be a sound investment. A variety of hosiery in a variety of prices follow:

WOMEN'S SILK LISLE HOSE, in African brown with double heel, sole and toe .....50¢

WOMEN'S PURE SILK HOSE, in black, white and African brown, semi-fashion with double sole, heel and toe. $1.00

WOMEN'S FIBRE SILK HOSE, in black, white and dark tan with double heel, sole and toe.....79¢

WOMEN'S FIBRE SILK HOSE, in black and African brown (seconds).....35¢

MISSES' SILK LISLE HOSE, in black, fine rib.....35¢

BOYS' HEAVY RIB HOSE with reinforced heel and toe, sizes from 6 to 11½, 35¢

News From the

FASHION SHOPS

Our Coat and Suit Buyer has just returned from New York. While over there she bought hundreds of lovely new Spring Suits, Dresses, Capes and Dolmans. There are so many new styles and so many values and such little time to describe them that we are going to advertise them separately tomorrow night.

Early Spring Values are always the best. You get more service from the early selection.

THE BLOUSE SHOP

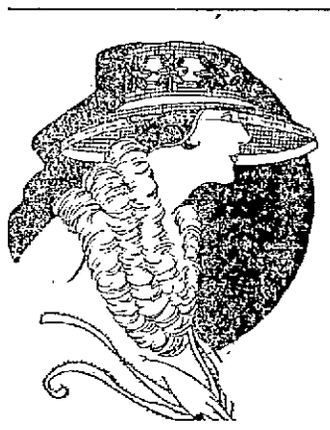
You know where it is located: Second Floor, next Fashion Shops.

That is where one naturally goes to see the very latest doings of the clever blouse designers. It is there that you will find—

GEORGETTE CREPE BLOUSES, beautifully beaded, and others embroidered in shiny silk.....$5.00

CREPE DE CHINE BLOUSES and Voiles, lace trimmed, with tiny tucks $3.98

Scores of dainty Voile Blouses and Smocks $1.98



SPRING MILLINERY

As bright and gay as the lovely weather we have been enjoying lately.

This week, while walking through the Millinery shop, I noticed how large the wonder hats were. So many women like large hats and we have them in numbers.

Not alone are styles confined to large hats, but also the small close-fitting shapes may be found.

WONDER HATS, trimmed with fruit, flowers, ribbons and feathers $5.00

TRIMMED HATS, good looking styles $2.98

The Little Grey Shops

Where the loveliest "Baby Things" grow. This week we call your particular attention to the Nursery Furniture.

Folding Clothes Dryer, white enameled $2.25

Babies' Bath Tubs, portable folding style, oak finish..$6.98

Oak Baby Rocker, adjustable seat $1.98

Toilet Seats with back, mahogany finish $1.98

Little Miss Muffet Hats, poke shapes, with rosebud trimmings, also the plain tailored hats with long streamers. $1.98 and $2.98

Girls' Coats, fine black and white checks, also the new blues, tan, and tailored navy, in high waist line—button trimmed, 2 to 14 years .....$5.98 to $14.98

Girls Slip-ons, pure worsted, in rose and copen, sizes 6 to 16 years, $4.98

Perforated Stocking Dryer, sizes 4 to 6½.....25¢

Shirt Drying Frame, collapsible, sizes 0, 1, 2, 4, 5, 6.....49¢

WELCOMED TO WARSAW

American Red Cross Mission Given Enthusiastic Greeting by Poles

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The city of Warsaw gave an enthusiastic welcome to the special relief train bearing the American Red Cross mission to Poland and 25 cars of foodstuffs, hospital supplies and clothing according to reports received in Paris and cabled here today. Premier Paderewski adjourned a cabinet meeting to welcome the mission, which is headed by Dr. Walter C. Bailey of Boston.

Large crowds greeted the mission at the railroad station and along the route to their headquarters, and the American and Polish national anthems were played by a number of bands.

Premier Paderewski at a dinner given to the Americans said:

"We recognize in your mission, the heart of the magnanimous American people, and I cannot tell you how deeply we appreciate your coming to us at this time, when we need you most."

MUSICAL CONCERT AT COLONIAL HALL

Before a lamentably small audience at Colonial hall last night a group of artists from Boston gave a concert under the auspices of the Sunshine club that was of distinctly high musical calibre.

Five young women composed the concert company and although slipping into town in an unpretentious and unheralded manner as it were, the music lovers present last night agreed that the talent of this group of entertainers was as fine and enjoyable as has been heard at any similar concert held here this winter. Persons who did not know about the concert or, knowing about it, were unable to attend, were certainly denied a very fine musical treat.

The two artists whose work was most conspicuously enjoyed were Miss Rae Kilmer, harpist and Miss Marian Coursen, pianist. Miss Kilmer, a winsome young person of most engaging personality, proved she was mistress of that difficult instrument, the harp, and played not only with a sureness of herself and the instrument but as if she enjoyed her work and of course the audience certainly enjoyed hearing her. For an encore she played two old airs, a hymn and Last Rose of Summer, accompanying her playing with an informal and unconventional little humming song that was delightful.

Miss Coursen, impressing one as having all the ability of a concert pianist, nevertheless did not consider it an unimportant task to make the program a success by skilful efforts as an accompanist. She played two solo numbers by Chopin and held the close attention of her audience. Miss Ruth Stickney was heard to good advantage on the violin. The vocal soloist was Mrs. Charlotte Woodruffe. A little dancer named Thelma Grant offered a Scotch dance and an Irish reel and pleased with her work.

11 HORSES LOST

Fire Destroyed Peabody Stable Today

PEABODY, March 13.—Eleven horses were lost here early today in a fire which destroyed the stable on Fuller street, owned by the estate of the late Patrick J. Murphy. The cause was unknown.

DRUGGISTS INTERESTED IN PROHIBITION LAW

Lowell druggists are watching with interest the progress of prohibition legislation. The law provides that liquor may be sold "for drug, medicinal, pharmaceutical and sacramental purposes," but wholesale druggists say that except for the pure grain alcohol, which is absolutely necessary in the manufacture of drugs, there is no real necessity for the sale of whiskey, brandy, gin and such other liquors in a drug store, either wholesale or retail. Therefore, they argue, they might as well give up their wholesale licenses and take out licenses only for the sale of alcohol.

Some retail druggists take the same view, but there are others who believe that the sale of bottled liquor by drug stores should be allowed to continue, on the ground that the average woman requiring liquor for medicinal purposes does not want to be seen going in and coming out of a liquor store. One druggist, diametrically opposed to the sale of liquor unless absolutely necessary, has made the broad statement that the unlimited sale of liquor in drug stores has a tendency to develop the drinking habit among women. But there was a saving sentence in his speech. He said that a very small percentage of the drug stores welcomed a liquor trade.

The fact that liquor can be obtained at drug stores without a doctor's prescription every day of the week except Sunday renders it comparatively easy for druggists, so disposed, to do quite a liquor business, and it is but natural that women wanting liquor would prefer to go to a drug store rather than to a liquor store. All the druggist requires is that the purchaser sign a book, the druggist taking the purchaser's word for it that the liquor is being purchased for medicinal purposes. The modus operandi is very simple and in view of the fact that the drug stores are open every day of the week and not restricted by the 11 o'clock law, it would seem as if the drug store with a "liquor trade" had something on the felow selling booze under a fourth class license for which he pays somewhere in the vicinity of $1300.

"If we are to have prohibition," said one druggist who believes that liquor ought not to be obtainable at drug stores except on doctors' prescriptions, "it ought not to be defeated by a thing so simple as a loosely written drug store law."

So far as the use of liquors in medicinal prescriptions is concerned, one leading druggist said today that some of the largest drug stores in Lowell will not use a gallon of brandy or whiskey in a month, and they might as well cut out the business entirely. This man was emphatic in the declaration that he did not intend to have his store run as a "near-saloon."

SPRING PLOWING STARTS

The spring plowing at the Chelmsford street hospital farm was started yesterday under the direction of Supt. Martin Conley. Mr. Conley states that although it seems rather early to plow the soil, still a few years ago he planted peas on March 18 and with good results.

FLORENCE CRITTENTON LEAGUE

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year at the annual meeting of the Florence Crittenton league, which was held yesterday: Mrs. Frederick A. Flather, president; Mrs. George L. Van Deurson, first vice president; Mrs. Brooks Stevens, second vice president; Mrs. Burnham R. Benner, secretary and Miss Alice N. Rowell, treasurer.

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ANOTHER LOWELL HERO BACK FROM FRANCE

Back from 18 months of active service in France, Lieut. Winfred C. MacBrayne, military aeronaut, reached his home in Lowell last night. He brings with him one of the most satisfying and honorable war records of any young man who went into the service from this city, and has had experiences second to none.

In the balloon service through choice as an observer and director of artillery fire, Lieut. MacBrayne subjected himself to the most trying hardships and dangerous work, and the Croix de Guerre, distinguished service cross and seven citations for bravery are his reward.

Prior to this country's participation in the great war, Lieut. MacBrayne

LIEUT. WINFRED C. MacBRAYNE

had been identified with militia work for some time, and when the declaration of war came he held a captain's commission in the Sixth Massachusetts. This he quickly resigned, however, in the hope of active service at an early date and accepted a lieutenant's commission with Battery F, 102nd F.A. He went with that outfit to Boxford and sailed for France in September, 1917. Shortly after landing at St. Nazaire, the Lowell battery was attached to a French division.

Not long after that opportunity came to volunteer for balloon service and Lieut. MacBrayne jumped at the chance. He was sent immediately to a French school for balloon observers near the Swiss border and there received intensive training for six weeks. He was then detailed for duty with a French balloon section between Soissons and St. Quentin and spent nearly three months in that sector. While working with the French the Lowell officer was near death on several occasions, twice having his balloon shot away and descending in a parachute, and being subject to heavy artillery fire and to constant attack by Boche planes. But the artillery had to have the balloons "up there" to regulate their fire, and Lieut. MacBrayne stuck in day after day and did his work well. It was on this sector that he received a commendation from his commanding officer and a citation from the French. He also had the pleasure of working in conjunction with his old battery and cannot say enough in praise of the Lowell boys and their fine artillery work.

Assignments to three different American balloon companies followed his work in the St. Quentin sector and five citations from the United States and one more from the French government tell the story of his devotion to duty. He remained in active service until Nov. 25, 1918, when he was relieved and given opportunity to prepare for a homeward trip.

Lieut. MacBrayne's most thrilling experience came with a fall in a parachute after his balloon had been fired by Hun bullets. A new man and a junior in rank was with him at the time and, although it was the Lowell officer's privilege to go over the side of the basket first, he allowed the junior to jump ahead of him. When Lieut. MacBrayne cut himself loose the balloon had descended almost 1000 feet and when his parachute failed to open he crashed down on the treetops. Although rendered unconscious, he soon recovered sufficiently to again go up and "hang over the lines."

Lieut. MacBrayne sailed for America on Feb. 22 on the steamer Martha Washington, arriving at Newport News a few days ago. He is at present on 21 days' leave but expects to receive his discharge within a short time.

WILL HEAR IRISH POET AND LECTURER

Members of the League of Catholic Women and their friends will have an opportunity to hear one of the most able lecturers that has come to Lowell for some time when Dennis A. McCarthy, Irish poet and lecturer, will speak in Lincoln hall, Gorham street, at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening. Mr. McCarthy has just returned from overseas where he did a great amount of entertaining under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus. On Sunday he will read from his own poems. As a collateral feature the quartet of St. Michael's choir, assisted by Miss Ella M. Reilly, will give a concert suitable to the observance of St. Patrick's day which comes on Monday.

WILSON TO START WORK AT PARIS AT ONCE

ON BOARD U.S.S. GEORGE WASHINGTON, Wednesday, March 12, 7 p.m.—(By wireless to the Associated Press)—President Wilson expects to arrive at Brest about 8:30 o'clock Thursday evening. He will board his special train immediately after the brief reception ceremonies and will probably arrive in Paris at about 9 o'clock Friday morning.

President and Mrs. Wilson dined this evening with Captain McCauley in his suite. This afternoon the president sent wireless messages to Secretary Lansing and Colonel House and arranged to begin work in Paris without loss of time.

To Greet President

BREST, March 13.—Colonel House and Jules Jusserand, French ambassador to the United States, with Madame Jusserand, have arrived in Brest, to greet President Wilson when he lands from the George Washington. They were given a luncheon this noon by Georges Leyguez, minister of marine.

In preparation for the president's arrival, Brest was gaily decorated. The work was done with surprising alacrity, flags and banners appearing almost as if by magic. Large banners stretched across the streets bore the legend "Welcome Wilson."

The railway station was lavishly bedecked with allied flags and the star spangled banner, which, with the French tri-color, predominated in the decorative schome.

According to the latest plans, the president will disembark at the Port du Commerce.

SACRED HEART CHOIR

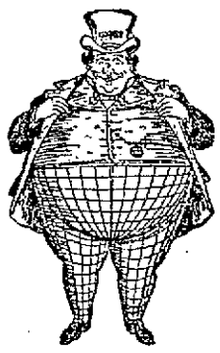
There will be a rehearsal of the Sacred Heart choir in the church vestry at 8 o'clock Friday evening in preparation for the concert to be given Palm Sunday evening. All members of the choir are requested to be present as the rehearsal is to be important.

Cadum Ointment for Skin Troubles

Cadum Ointment has proved a blessing to thousands who have suffered for years from irritating and stubborn skin troubles. It stops the itching at once and is very healing and soothing wherever the skin is irritated or inflamed. Much suffering from skin troubles may be avoided by the use of this wonderful remedy. Cadum Ointment is good for eczema, pimples, blotches, itch, scaly skin eruptions, chafings, piles, rash, scabs, ringworm, cuts, sores, burns, insect bites, etc.

[Cadum Ointment is a French preparation made in America from the original formula.]

Mutt and Jeff



Mutt and Jeff appear in New England only in the Boston Daily Globe. They amuse both old and young.

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Therefore, the highest character of service goes with these big mileage tires.

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TRADE BOARD ENDORSES 50-50 PROPOSITION

Despite the opposition of the legal authorities of half a dozen cities in this state where the Bay State Street Railway Co. operates its lines, the directors of the board of trade last evening voted to endorse the "50-50" proposition of the trustees of the road whereby the unit of fare to be charged will be five cents and any deficit which may arise is to be met by popular taxation.

This decision was reached after the directors had listened to statements by Fred J. Crowley, one of the trustees of the road, and Thomas Lees, superintendent of the local division. Many questions were asked and the matter argued for some time before the directors reached their eventual decision.

Other matters discussed at the meeting included the establishment of a homestead committee to further the movement that is being sponsored by the government to have people own their homes, the appointment of a committee to consider the advisability of redrafting the by-laws of the board and the naming of a nominating committee to present the list of officers for next year. It was also voted to make a further study in regard to the enforcement of the shingle roof ordinance and also to urge that the city's tax books be published at once.

N. Y. FACES COMPLETE TIE-UP OF CAR LINES

NEW YORK, March 13.—The hampered movement of coal barges and congestion of freight on piers became more serious today as the striking harbor workers and the employing boat owners continued in deadlock over the terms of a settlement of their controversy over wages and hours. Schedules of transatlantic liners, in some instances have been changed in the hope of obtaining coal, while almost every vessel in port is experiencing trouble in coaling.

The demoralized conditions of the coal barge service has resulted in so diminishing the supply of steam coal in the city that transit companies have appealed to the public service commission and the naval authorities for aid. A complete shutdown of service on the elevated and subway lines in the Interborough Rapid Transit Co. was predicted today by Frank Hadley, general manager of the company when the four days' supply on hand is exhausted.

Tieup In New Jersey

NEWARK, N. J., March 13.—Street car service in 12 northern New Jersey counties was paralyzed again today although the Public Service corporation attempted to operate a few cars with employes who refused to join the 4500 striking motormen and conductors.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Centralville M.E. church, which was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Healey, 27 Methuen street, was largely attended and considerable business was transacted. Devotional exercises were led by Mrs. W. F. Whitney. Plans were made for a gentlemen's night to be held on March 20 and at which it is expected Rev. W. E. Pettegrew will be present. The nominating committee for the ensuing year was elected as follows: Rev. W. E. Whitney, Mrs. Fred Colburn and Mrs. Charles Stevens. Refreshments were served and an entertainment program was given by the following: Mrs. F. C. Whittier, Mrs. Frank Healey and Mrs. W. F. Whitney.

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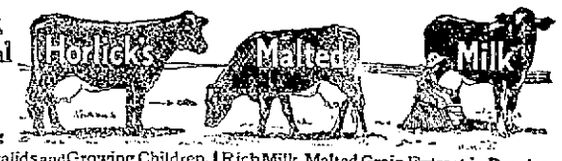

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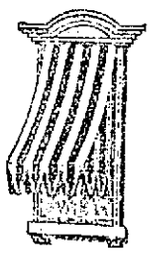

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WOMAN TO LEAD DRIVE FOR "JAPAN DRY"

LOS ANGELES, Feb.—"Saki," Japan's traditional drink, is in for the battle of its long career.

With the slogan, "Japan dry by 1930," Mrs. Kara Smart Root is headed for the land of rice-wine and cherry-blossoms.

The only American woman organizer who has ever been to the far east, Mrs. Root faces a double problem. Not only must she make the country dry, but she must break down the barrier that still remains in Japan against a woman being active in public life.

Mrs. Root is corresponding secretary for the Woman's Christian Temperance union of Southern California. She goes to Japan as representative of the executive committee of the National Dry Federation, though she refused to accept the appointment until it was sanctioned by the dry forces of Japan.

"I knew their prejudice," she said, "against women in public. And I wanted the movement to come from them. A prohibition campaign must originate at home to be successful.

"Japan is ready. It has its own prohibition advocates, who are only waiting to be organized.

"That is what I propose to do—organize the dry forces of Japan and avoid the argument that it is an American invasion."

Mrs. Root was in Japan from 1902 to 1906, under the World W.C.T.U. She plans to establish headquarters in Tokyo and organize a group of lecturers, of which she will be the head. Then all Japan will be divided into districts to distribute literature, organize societies in every village and hamlet, send out Japanese lecturers, and American lecturers to work with them.

"As soon as I arrive in Japan," Mrs. Root declares, "I shall take up with the government the question of temperance education in the schools. There is already some instruction along that line, and we are going to ask for more.

"The Japanese is an intelligent thinking man. When we teach him what harm 'saki' does to his body and mind, he is going to come over to our side. The campaign will be just like a great wave, gathering strength with every swell."

Mrs. Root's interest in the dry movement is nearly as old as she is. When only six years old, she signed her first pledge, and she has been working with the temperance forces ever since. The suppression of alcohol in Japan has been her dream almost since childhood.

Money for the campaign is being furnished by the National Dry Federation, and is now being raised by popular subscription. During the next five years, Mrs. Root plans to spend $50,000.

Hon. Taro Ando, president, and Rev. T. Ukai, secretary, of the Men's National Temperance league of Japan will be Mrs. Root's first co-operators. Mrs. Kuji Yajima, president of the Japanese W.C.T.U., the first woman who ever received a teacher's certificate in Japan, will be one of her lecturers and leading assistants.

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Mothers' "Safety First" Rules Will Cut Rate of Accidents to Babies 80 Per Cent

Special Correspondence to N.E.A.

CINCINNATI, Ohio.—"Safety First" rules for mothers will prevent 80 per cent of all serious or fatal accidents to children!

That's the lesson of child welfare experts are teaching Cincinnati mothers in a series of lectures on baby care.

The figures of the coroner of Hamilton county, Ohio, in which Cincinnati is located, show that the majority of accidental deaths among children are due to scalding and smothering.

Automobile accidents causing the death or injury of children are comparatively few. Most of the fatalities occur in the very presence of the child's mother—and could be easily prevented by care and forethought on her part.

Here are the "Don't Do Its" for mothers laid down by the child welfare experts:

Don't put the baby in the centre of the bed where his head may work down between heavy pillows and cause smothering. Don't let a baby sleep in a bed with older persons whose sleeping movements may draw the covers over his face and smother him.

Don't allow a child to play within reach of boiling liquids, or near vessels containing hot water. Scalding is the chief cause of infant deaths. Little folks tumble into vessels of hot water left carelessly about, or pull over on themselves hot liquids left on the stove within their reach.

Don't leave a child alone in the presence of open fires, or where matches can be reached. Fire has a fascination for children. Never allow them to play with it—or even be near it unless they are watched constantly.

Don't keep bottles of poisonous liquid, or poisonous pills about the house, or where they can be reached by a child. Keep the medicine closet locked and the key out of reach.

Don't let a child play with sharp-pointed scissors, pencils, or other hard, sharp articles. Bad injuries to the eyes and mouth are due to falls, while holding such playthings.

Don't permit a child to suck or play with a talcum powder box. The paint sometimes comes off and the powder itself has proven deadly poisonous if eaten by the baby.

DON'T LET THE BABY—

1. Play with scissors. They may put out his eyes or cut him seriously.

2. Play with a talcum powder can. Such powder is often deadly poison.

3. Get within reach of the medicine closet.

4. Play with pencils. He may fall and puncture the roof of the mouth.

5. Play with fire or matches.

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LONDON, Tuesday, March 11.—The government announced in the house of commons today that the total strength of effective and non-effective British troops in the armies of occupation in all theatres of the war was 902,000 men, including officers. The strength of the British army in France, Belgium and Germany, including dominion troops, on Feb. 15, was 1,324,100.

It is stated that 197,000 German prisoners are being fed by the British commissary department.

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FOOD SITUATION GRAVE

American Army Surgeons Analyze Rations For People in North Russia

ARCHANGEL, Tuesday, March 11.—(By the Associated Press)—The food situation in northern Russia is causing concern. In the district between Archangel and Onega, where a heavy frost late last summer killed even the Arctic summer berries, the people have already eaten the ration fixed for next June. American army surgeons have analyzed the civilian ration for the entire population in the North Russia district and found that it contains only 1156 calories daily. A man doing no work needs 1770 and soldiers receive at least 3500 calories daily. The civilian ration, according to surgeons, may be sufficient to sustain life through the winter, but the people will be drawing on their reserve strength, exposing themselves to danger from disease.

DINES, DRESSES AND SPEAKS AS IN DAYS OF OLD GREEKS

George Pappageorge, linguist, writer and editor of "Prometheus," the largest Greek paper on the Pacific coast, doesn't dress like this while he is in San Francisco. But much of his time is spent at his country home in Ross Valley, at which everything is Greek—Greek food, Greek customs and Greek entertainment "stunts," including ancient religious dances in which Pappageorge himself participates. He came from the Isle of Samos, of which his father was mayor, while his grandmother, who was highly educated, redeemed almost the entire population from illiteracy. Pappageorge speaks Italian, French and Arabic, besides English and Greek. He is devoting his life to the New Greece movement.

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MAKE A LITTLE BUSINESS BIG

There are men in some kinds of business who do not think their business needs to be advertised. In this point they and the United States government differ. The government advertises itself.

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One Lowell undertaker recently had a big ad in The Sun. His ad sounded as if he would be a fair man with whom to do business at a trying time. Wasn't it worth while for him to circulate that reputation by means of his ad?

Should a cobbler advertise? Yes, unless he wants to "stick to his last" until there is no shoe on it for him to fix.

If you want to try to make a big business out of what may now be a little business, why not have a talk on the subject with a representative of

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CRITICS NOW AND THEN

The constitution of the League of Nations may be susceptible of improvement. Very few documents so hurriedly prepared approach perfection; but if the constitution were absolutely perfect, it would be criticized just the same.

Few will deny that the constitution of the United States was one of the most perfect charters of human freedom ever drafted by the mind of man, and yet it was the subject of bitter attack and denunciation even by men of the highest patriotism such as Patrick Henry.

Senators Lodge and Knox, with Borah, Reed and a few others, have endeavored to alarm the country in regard to the effect this proposed league would have on the United States. These men may be honest in their criticism; but many of the republican critics are speaking for political effect as this subject serves them as a political issue at a time when there is a great dearth of issues.

Certain senators declare they are opposed to the league in any form. "It is destructive of our sovereignty, of the Monroe Doctrine and of the nation's freedom of action," they say. Quite similar were the statements made in criticism of the constitution of the United States. Here for example is the statement of Patrick Henry to the Virginia convention:

> "Is this tame relinquishment of rights worthy of freemen? Is it worthy of that manly fortitude that ought to characterize republicans? It is said that eight states have accepted this plan. I declare that if 12½ had adopted it, I would, with manly fortitude, and in spite of an erring world, reject it."

Luther Martin, a delegate to the Maryland convention, issued an address against ratification of the constitution in the following terms:

> "We consider the proposed form of national government as very defective, and that the liberty and happiness of the people will be endangered if the system be not greatly changed and altered."

In their attacks upon the league constitution Senators Lodge and Knox almost echo the utterance of James Lincoln to the South Carolina convention when he said:

> "What have you been contending for in the ten years past? Liberty! What is liberty? The power of bettering yourselves. If you adopt this constitution, have you this power? No: you give it over to the hands of men who live 1000 miles distant from you."

It was Senator Poindexter who charged President Wilson with disloyalty to the American people; but Mr. Treadwell, a delegate to the New York convention, made a similar charge against Washington, Franklin, Hamilton and Madison when he said:

> "In this constitution, sir, we have departed widely from the principles and political faith of '76, when the spirit of liberty ran high and danger put a curb on ambition. Here we find no security for the right of individuals, no security for the existence of our state government. * * * Sir, in this constitution we have not only neglected—we have done worse—we have openly violated our faith—that is—our public faith. * * *"

Criticism of the constitution was rife in Massachusetts just as criticism of the League of Nations is rampant now among certain republicans. It was Mr. Symmes of this state who visualized the alleged evils of the constitution as follows:

> "For, sir, I also disapprove of the power to collect which is here vested in congress. It is a power, sir, to burden us with a standing army of ravenous collectors—harpies, perhaps, from another state, but who, however, were never known to have bowels for any purpose but to fatten on the life blood of the people. In an age or two, and when the congress shall become tyrannical, these vultures, their servants, will be the tyrants of the village by whose presence all freedom of speech and action will be taken away."

Yet in spite of all these attacks and a great many more of the same kind the constitution was adopted and none of the terrible things predicted by these prophets of evil have come to pass. In our judgment, the bulk of the criticism of the constitution of the League of Nations is equally groundless and will be similarly disregarded when the time comes to ratify the treaty of which it will form a part.

As the attacks upon the constitution of the United States did no harm, neither will those directed at the League of Nations. As President Wilson has declared the American people are in favor of the League of Nations to enforce peace and in the face of favorable public sentiment Senator Lodge and his 37 protesting politicians will eventually back down and ratify the treaty and the constitution of the league.

Critics like Taft and Bryan, who suggest improvements, are to be lauded and commended; but the destructive critics who simply attack without suggesting any improvement, may be classed as political wreckers.

SALACIOUS SHOWS

Mayor Thompson will find public sentiment solidly behind him in barring from exhibition in local theatres any film which is in the slightest degree questionable. The opinion of the censor is usually reliable. Even with the exercise of the best of care it is found that occasionally some of the films will slip pictures that are open to criticism on moral grounds; but when a film is heralded as sensational and appealing to prurient tastes, the proper thing is to shut it out. We understand the managers of the local picture houses, or most of them, are organized to oppose the presentation of salacious pictures here. In that they should be encouraged. To permit a theatre outside the association to exhibit such a picture would have a very bad effect. Mayor Thompson will do well to avoid such a mistake.

A New York paper observing that Montpelier and St. Johnsbury have changed from no license to license, adds mournfully that Vermont in certain places has evidently waked up too late, like the rest. There need be no mourning in Manhattan because of what Vermont has done or her tardiness in doing it. Vermont can have a good time between now and July 1st, as regards liquor—if that be her idea of joyfulness. New York should not forget that in September, Vermont will be pressing juicy apples and storing the juice away—creating, in other words, a product far more pure than what is sold at Jack's.

It behooves all politicians and all political parties to "get right" on this proposition about women's votes, particularly with a view to results in 1920. Eleven million women will vote for president, representing the 19 states which have given women this right. The New York World says women's votes will undoubtedly swing the next presidential election. The republicans may set up a recently made "convert" as a candidate for president. But they cannot efface the record of opposition.

Mrs. Ruth Stevens Reed, home demonstration leader, says that upon attaining the dignity of 40 years, most of the women ought to camouflage the fact to some extent by always wearing something yellow around the neck. Twenty-dollar bills? Oh yes, if they are fortunate enough to have enough of them to make a nice yellow decoration. So, arriving at 40 years is to be the newest "yellow peril." It will not be long now before we may expect some novelist to describe a character as having "come to the saffron years."

Covenant, covenant, covenant! We keep hearing of that word in connection with the League of Nations' plan. Covenant is a word with which the text of the bible has considerable to do. It's surprising that some of the senatorial objectors haven't touched on the religious flavor of the word. No matter what they may say about the word in the future, it's an honest word and means a great deal to honest men of whom perhaps, not many samples, may be found among political charlatans anxious to destroy the league's plan in order to further political party aims.

If you love the excitement of election days, you will envy the experience coming to citizens of Hillsboro, N. H., in this merry and windy month of March. That enterprising little hill town will struggle through four different elections. March 11 is annual town meeting. March 13 is town school district meeting, on March 17 occurs village precinct meeting, and the windup comes on March 24, with a special school district meeting. Life for the time being in Hillsboro, will be just one election day after another!

It seems that President Wilson's landlord in Paris, Prince Murat, saw no reason why he should abstain from criticising the president, both verbally and in his mushroom paper, born since the armistice was signed. As a result, Mr. Wilson is to live in the mansion owned by the little Bishoffsheim girl. A landlord in America would not consider it courteous or good policy to publicly criticise a tenant, and why should even a French prince think he could do it with impunity?

"Make something of your job. Do more than you are paid for. Make the little job become a big job." This has a familiar ring because it is the oft quoted advice to young men. Like all good things, it has to be occasionally recorded as a failure. George Creel's experience is a conspicuous example. He wasn't bad, but he tried to make too much of his censorship job. There will be no moaning at the bar when he retires to private life, as he announces he will do.

Senator Norris of Nebraska, makes a bid for public notice—and how those middle west senatorial boys do yearn for notoriety—by "releasing" a public letter in which he assails the president for making a trip to Europe which he characterizes as "gorgeous." Does the Nebraskan believe there is anything particularly gorgeous in being seasick?

The example of Amelia E. Barr, the novelist, who died Tuesday in New York, confirms the belief on the part of some authorities on literature that a writer should not attempt to create much fiction until having arrived at an age which ordinarily insures a person has attained both experience and well rounded intellectual maturity. Mrs. Barr wrote 63 novels, most of them successful, after she reached the age of 53.

SEEN AND HEARD

Don't forget your federal income tax, dowggoneit!

Many people think that Germany is being allowed about one hundred thousand too many men for her army.

The people of the seven Massachusetts towns who voted to license the sale of liquor on Tuesday are going to be sure of one, last drink anyway.

We know what has become of the travelling German bands, who were wont to play throughout the city, but how about the hurdy-gurdy and hand-organ?

Salem high school has a good idea—the names of all of its graduates who died in the service are to be inscribed on a tablet and placed in the school with fitting dedicatory exercises.

Say, you gentlemen, at the peace conference, if you ain't goin' to kill the ex-kaiser, don't bother with the minor criminals. Everybody is disgusted with the policy of sparing the big fellow and killing the little fellow.

Had a Reason

A country clergyman who was nailing up a refractory creeper observed a young lad watching him for a long time with obvious interest.

"Well, my young friend," he said smilingly, "are you trying to get a hint or two on gardening?"

"Naa!" said the youth.

"Are you surprised to see me working like this?"

"Naa! I do be waiting to see what a parson do say when he hammers his thoomb!"—Chicago Herald and Examiner.

Impossible Situation

"You say you were well thought of in the last place where you worked?"

"I may say so, ma'am. I got this wrist watch and this necklace as presents."

"Well! Well! And why did you leave if you were so highly esteemed? Did you have words with your mistress?"

"No, ma'am. I didn't have any, but the mistress and the master had words. When it was all over he turned to me and said, 'Mary, you see what the situation is. Goodby.'"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Things I Observed Today

That the shorter the man the greater the conceit.

That the first whiff of spring might easily be translated to the first "sniff" of spring. At least, one seems to accompany the other.

That some people take themselves and incidentally their jobs so seriously that it interferes with their success.

That the greater the man the more complete his relaxation when he takes time off for play.

That some men are of the type who can stand for 15 minutes or more on a windy day and gaze right at a horse standing with his blanket on the ground and quite as complacently watch a woman who has just come on the scene with one arm full of bundles, stop, pick up the blanket and with difficulty rearrange the cover for the horse's comfort.—Lawrence Telegram.

Met Billy and "Ma"

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. A. Hurtubise of this city, who are now in Florida, had a most interesting experience on the trip from Washington to the southern state. Just as the train started from Washington Mr. Hurtubise happened to look across the aisle and recognized no less a personage than Billy Sunday, the famous evangelist. Mrs. Sunday, better known as "Ma" Sunday, was with the revivalist, and inasmuch as the Lowell man had seen and heard Billy when he was in Boston a few years ago, he knew him immediately. He made himself known and both Mr. and Mrs. Sunday proved most cordial travelling companions for the rest of the trip. Billy was on his way to Miami, Florida, to open a three weeks' revival service. Mr. Hurtubise writes that Billy is most interesting to meet informally just as he has made himself intensely interesting to thousands of people on the platform.

With the Haberdashers

"In the spring a young man's fancy turns to love"—also to the haberdasher's shop across the way, where the new scarfs, shirts, collars and hosiery of the new season will be found in profusion at this time of the year. To begin with, he will find that ties will be much narrower this spring and summer. The large, flourishing style of last year has about worn itself out with the best dressers, and all the new models show a perceptible decrease in width, though not to stringiness. Bow ties will of course be worn to a degree, but the four-in-hand and open ends are the shapes that are called for oftenest. Knitted scarf ties have been received in the most handsome striped effects and were worn a lot in the early part of the season. They will still be good throughout the summer for informal wear, while for dress occasions, discriminating men will ask for grenadine ties. These are made in Persian effects as well as in batik designs, and in the latter, which are done of course by hand, are sometimes quite expensive.

Cameo effects in taupe and blue silk are made to meet the request of the quiet dresser, as are also two-toned stripes in crepe. Hindu crepe in plain colors will be the smart tie for summer wear, and Venetian crepe in Oriental patterns will be one of the new features in the tie world. Among the reds, vermillion is the new shade, and along with it are seen orange and brick red. Purple, blue and green are next in popularity. Shirts, as regards the materials, are showing up practically as they did last season, except that the young man will find more of the eastern crepes than formerly, since they are no longer novelties. Regular silk shirtings and crepe de chines are being used for the finer grades of shirts, while for everyday wear there are linen and silk mixtures, madras, mercerized cotton and percale. Pin stripes in gay colors, such as orange, red, bright blue or purple are the newest things in silk shirtings, while in the mercerized effects satin stripes are shown more. There are more striped and small flowered patterns than solid colors, except white. Predominant colors are pink, blue, tan, green and brown, though there is no limit on the colors as presented this season. The vogue of stripes, the young man will find, has descended even to the hosiery for spring and summer. The patterns are not gaudy, but rather subdued because they are usually of the two-toned variety and made of the finest silk. Solid colors are good, too, and one sees a very few polka dots beginning to appear, though for conservative tastes the first mentioned styles are safest. Black, white and pale gray hose will be worn with white trousers and gray coats for sports and club wear, while the whole gamut of colors is there for the choice of those who have more hectic ideas of attiring their feet.

The Street Car

I looked down the lane of a car
With passenger-heads in a row,
And I said to each head, "What you are
I am curious, somewhat, to know.
I could fancy you ranged on a shelf,
Like a series of overturned bowls,
So I think, to enliven myself,
I shall take off the tops of your souls.

And one soul was full of a scheme
Of how to grub gold, lily-handed,
And one soul was ripe with a dream
Of relief for the stricken and stranded.
And one soul was witless and wild,
All heedless of gaining or giving
And one—'twas the soul of a child—
Bubbled up with the laughter of living.

And one soul was grinning with guile
Intent upon tricking a woman,
And one loiled and languished the while
And approved its own wit and acumen.
And one shoul was fretful and thin
A flying soul sentence to flivving—
And one (with an African skin)
Chuckled up with the laughter of living.

And one soul was sticky with pride
And counted all things by their cost.
And one soul was dreary and dried
And one was afraid it was lost.
And one soul was saved—and to show it,
It went with a mournful thanksgiving;
And one—'twas the soul of a poet.
Leaped up with the laughter of living.

I set back their tops on the souls,
On their frivol and fret, and their folly,
And again, with expressionless jowls,
They were passenger-heads on a trolley.
Then I peeped in my own soul, my brothers;
I un-topped it without a misgiving.
And I found all I found in the others,
Excepting the laughter of living.

EDMUND VANCE COOKE

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

I wonder if we have any men serving in our city government at the present time or if some of the former city officials are made in the same mould as ex-Mayor White of Lawrence. Lawrence is all stirred up by the holding of what has come to be termed in that city, "town meetings." At the "town meeting" held Monday night Mr. White was present and in answer to his oft repeated claims that he knew how Lawrence could save $200,000 in her municipal expenses, someone "called" him and said the whole town would be glad to know what he had up his sleeve by way of economy. Thereupon, Mr. White said there were certain conditions attached to his releasing his plans, the most important condition being that the citizens elect him mayor of the city again. In connection with this he declared that he was the greatest mayor Lawrence ever had or ever would have. Do you suppose we have any men in Lowell as modest as Mr. White?

The unemployment problem in Lowell seems to be rather bad just now but we don't believe it is as bad as the gloom-spreaders try to make out it is. A mean piece of business it is to circulate around a figure representing the number of men thought to be without jobs when the figure represents only guesswork. I hear the returned soldiers who cannot find jobs do not think that they should have to go out of town to obtain work and be self supporting. Their argument is, that they have been away from their folks for a long time, in the majority of cases, and do not believe they should have to be separated from their folks now that they are back in the United States.

One other very bad thing in connection with this job situation, as my friend Cornelius Cronin expresses it to me, is this. Nearly every day he will have at least a dozen jobs at living wages but nearly always at a considerable distance from Lowell. Mustered out soldiers come to him for jobs who declare they are broke and have no place where they can obtain money for carfare. Mr. Cronin has no fund for such a purpose. Possibly the jobs wouldn't be any good after a man got there or perhaps the employer would try to cut down what had been first offered as wages, but, in all events, it ought to be certainly worth while to finance a young man of good reputation chasing a job.

Apparently prosperous times loom ahead for those who make candy. Working men, professional men and others in Lowell are not ashamed to be seen making extensive purchases of candy for their own personal consumption these days and the candy store clerks tell me that there is a great increase in the number of male customers. We can tell something pleasant about this new candy custom, too. We have been told that certain physicians appealed to by men who earnestly desired to quit drinking liquor have recommended that the man who wishes to quit booze, form the habit of eating candy as being something that quiets the desire to go and tank up.

While I am on the subject of booze, I might as well unburden myself of another rather interesting thing in connection with the subject. I know a man in this city who regularly at his club and elsewhere was accustomed to spend a certain amount of his wages each week for liquor. That was before the Lenten season started. He determined that during Lent he would not drink any liquor, whether bought by himself or others. He planned to use the money thus saved to buy phonograph records for the very fine talking machine at his home. He thinks he will thus make quite an addition to his supply of records. As the man has a family of five children, all of whom, like himself, love music, he is likely to make his home happier and to enjoy the change himself as much as any member of the family.

VICTORY LIBERTY LOAN TO OPEN APRIL 21

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The Victory Liberty loan campaign will open Monday, April 21, and close three weeks later, Saturday, May 10.

Secretary Glass announced the dates last night, together with the fact that short term notes maturing in not over five years will be issued instead of longer term bonds. The amount of notes to be offered was not disclosed, but it has been generally understood that the loan would be for a minimum of $5,000,000,000 with the treasury reserving the right to accept all over-subscriptions.

Mr. Glass said the interest rate on the notes and the amounts to be exempted from taxation would not be determined until a week or two before the campaign, as they would be based upon financial conditions at that time. It was intimated, however, that the notes might bear interest in excess of 4¼ per cent., the interest rate on the third and fourth loans.

"After studying financial conditions in all parts of the country," said Mr. Glass, "I have determined that the interests of the United States will best be served at this time by the issuance of short-term notes rather than of longer term bonds which would have to bear the limited rate of interest of 4¼ per cent.

"The Victory Liberty loan will therefore take the form of notes of the United States maturing in not over five years from the date of issue. These notes will be, as were the Liberty loan bonds, the direct promise to pay of the United States, will be issued both in registered and coupon form, and the coupon notes will be in final form and will have attached the interest coupons covering the entire life of the notes. I am hopeful that the notes in final engraved form will be ready for delivery by the opening of the campaign on April 21.

"I take this opportunity to repeat what I have already stated that it is the intention of the treasury department to carry on the same kind of intensive campaign for distribution as heretofore. It would be a most unfortunate occurrence if the people of the United States failed to take these notes, thus placing the burden of subscriptions on the banks.

"The business of the country looks to the banking system for credit to carry on its operation and if its credit is absorbed to a large extent by the purchase of government securities, there will be many limitations placed upon the supply of credit for business purposes. Other merchants and manufacturers need ample credit for setting the wheels of industry in motion for peace time production and distribution and the wage earner is directly interested in seeing that these wheels are kept moving at a normal rate in order that full employment at good wages may continue and where readjustment conditions have necessitated a slowing down of industry, it is vitally important that activity be resumed and labor re-employed at the earliest possible moment.

"I therefore ask the American people once again to give their support to their government in order that this great loan may be made an overwhelming success by the widest possible distribution."

SATURDAY LAST DAY TO FILE

Saturday, March 15, is the last day to file income tax returns, and the deputy in charge of the local district urges those who have not yet complied with the law to do so at once. It will greatly help all concerned if each and every person, going to file their returns, will study their form and have facts and figures ready when they enter the office. Much unnecessary time is consumed in asking questions, and with a great number yet to make a report, it will assist the officials as well as the people themselves if they will do as much on the form as possible before going to the office.

The blanks for filing the tentative returns of corporations may be had at the postoffice. Some of the local corporations have already received these blanks, but those not already supplied may find it convenient to get the blanks at the revenue collector's department and thus save time in making the returns, which must be on file not later than tomorrow.

2600 SPRING SHIRTS AT $1.15

The low price tells you that the war is over—Six months ago nobody knew where Shirt prices were going to stop.

Raw materials were rising. Manufacturing costs were climbing—quotations were issued with a warning.

Suddenly conditions changed—and the change is shown in this offering of 2600 fresh Spring Shirts for $1.15.

Full, generous garments, carefully made—sure to fit and in more than fifty patterns of Madras cloth and percales. Soft cuffs—sizes 14 to 18.

PUTNAM & SON CO.

166 Central Street.

DANDRUFF GOES! HAIR GETS THICK, WAVY, BEAUTIFUL

Save your hair! Double its beauty in a few moments. Try this!

Hair stops coming out and every particle of dandruff disappears.

Try as you will after an application of Danderine, you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; and incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter for a few cents and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

Trade in Lowell with Sun advertisers and you will save money on your purchases.

Don't Coax! Your Little Pet Needs a Candy Cascaret

Look at the kiddie's tongue! Then hurry! Give Cascarets to work the nasty bile, souring food and constipation poison from the little liver and bowels. Children love "Candy" Cascarets. Harmless! Never gripe! Never disappoint! Cost 10 cents a box.

MOTHERS! When your child is irritable, feverish, when the little tongue is coated, breath tainted, give harmless Cascarets to thoroughly cleanse the stomach, liver and bowels—then don't worry! Full directions for children's dosage at all ages on each 10 cent box.

MIDDLESEX WOMEN'S CLUB

Monday, March 17, 4 p. m.—Lecture. Albert Bushnell Hart, LL.D. Subject: "Americanization."

Any interested are cordially invited.

A high grade, snappy drink, healthful, economical and delicious — INSTANT POSTUM

HOTEL ST. CHARLES

On the Ocean Front. Atlantic City, N. J.

American Plan. Wm. A. Leech, Mgr.

DEBS LAUDS LENINE AND TROTZKY

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 13.—In what may be his farewell public address before he begins serving a 10-year sentence imposed by the federal court here on a charge of violating the espionage act, Eugene V. Debs, socialist leader, last night upheld the bolshevist rule in Russia and referred to Lenine and Trotzky as the "foremost statesmen of the age."

Debs said the jurists of the United States supreme court were "be-gowned, be-whiskered, be-powdered old fossils, who have never decided anything."

Referring to the prison term that he faces, he reiterated his opposition to the law that he violated while the war was in progress.

Announcement was made of a meeting to be held here March 23 to protest against the imprisonment of Debs and to organize to obtain the freedom of all political and industrial prisoners.

A big squad of police and agents of the department of justice were scattered through the crowd, but there was no semblance of disorder.

Just Use Sloan's Liniment Once

Then You'll Understand Why It's the World's Greatest Pain Relief

Sloan's Liniment does exactly what is claimed for it—relieves quickly, without rubbing. It penetrates. Useful in relieving external pains, soreness, and stiffness, such as follow exposure, over-exercise, or unusual exertion.

A big bottle kept handy will last long and pay for itself in comfortable relief the first application. Clean, convenient, economical. Can be bought at any drug store. Get it today. 30c, 60c, $1.20.

Sloan's Liniment Kills Pain

CITY OF LOWELL

PUBLIC NOTICE

Office of the License Commission.
Lowell, Mass., March 13, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that applications for licenses to sell intoxicating liquors under the provisions of Chapter 100, Revised Laws, for the license year beginning May 1, 1919, should be made at this office not later than 12 o'clock noon hour, Tuesday, March 25, 1919.

Blank forms can be secured at this office and the applications must be accompanied by a fee of $3 for each license.

The following license fees will be charged:

Innholder—First Class. To sell liquors of any kind to be drunk on the premises, $150 a month.

Common victualler—First Class. To sell liquors of any kind to be drunk on the premises, $110 a month.

Dealer—Fourth Class. To sell liquors of any kind not to be drunk on the premises, $110 a month.

Brewer—Fifth Class. To sell malt liquors, cider and light wines containing not more than 15 per cent. of alcohol, not to be drunk on the premises, $110 a month.

Druggist—Sixth Class, $1.00.

Dealer in paints or in chemicals—Seventh Class. To sell pure alcohol, $1.00.

Clubs—Special Class. $25 a month.

The holder of a first class license as innholder will not be granted an additional license of the fourth class.

Certificates from the building inspector of the state police, showing that the buildings to be licensed comply with the state laws, must be presented with the application for an innholder's license and special class club license. Certificates from the State Board of Pharmacy must accompany each application for a sixth class license as druggist.

Applications for sixth and seventh class licenses may be filed up to Saturday, 12 o'clock noon, April 5, 1919.

Applicants are notified that the premises to be licensed as hotels and common victuallers must be furnished and equipped in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 102, Revised Laws, at the time applications are made; and offices, screens, pictures, boxes and all other obstructions of every character must be removed so that a clear and unobstructed view of the bar and interior of the premises can be obtained from the street, except as provided in Chapter 104, Acts of 1909.

The office of the License Commission is open daily from 9 a. m. to 12 m. and 2 p. m. to 4 p. m. and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m. and all inquiries for information should be made there.

Rules Adopted by the License Commission of the City of Lowell for the Granting of Licenses to Sell Intoxicating Liquors.

The attention of all persons interested in the granting of liquor licenses is called to the following requirements:

HOW TO APPLY

On application to the Clerk of the Commission at our office, blanks will be furnished to those desiring to make application for licenses.

The application must state clearly the location of the building for which the license is desired, naming all entrances, regular or bulkhead, and must also state the number of rooms on each floor to be used for the sale, use or storage of liquor. It must be signed with the full names of each applicant and must state the interest of each applicant in the license, whether financial or otherwise.

Any person making application for a license must personally appear before the commission upon written request in order that he may be questioned in reference thereto, and the commission may require any statement which may be made before it and papers which may be filed with it, relative to applications for licenses, to be sworn to before a member of the commission or the clerk thereof.

Applications must be made between the dates of March 13 and March 25, 12 o'clock, noon hour.

OBJECTIONS

Notice of all applications for licenses shall, at the expense of the applicant, be paid in advance, be published in some Lowell newspaper at least 10 days before the commission will act thereon.

If, before the expiration of the 10 days following the publication of the notice as above set forth, the owner of any real estate within 25 feet of the premises described in an application for a license to be exercised by a common victualler to sell liquors to be drunk on the premises, notifies the licensing board in writing that he objects to the granting of the license, no license to sell intoxicating liquors to be drunk on said premises shall be granted, unless the applicant therefor, shall, for the two years next preceding the date of his application, have held a license for the sale of intoxicating liquors upon said premises.

Other objections to the granting of the license, either on account of the unfitness of the applicant, or otherwise, may be made to the commission at any time before the application is acted upon. The laws of the commonwealth do not compel the licensing board to grand licenses in any case.

Upon objection being made to the granting of the license, except the objection by an adjoining owner of real estate as above provided, the commission may in its discretion, if so desired, grant a hearing to parties interested.

CHARLES H. HANSON,
GEORGE E. PUTNAM,
JOSEPH H. McHRATH,
The License Commission of the City of Lowell.

BRITISH NAVAL PLANS

To Apply Lessons Learned in the War in the Development of Fleet

LONDON, Wednesday, March 12.—In introducing the naval estimates for 280,000 officers, men and boys in the house of commons today, Walter Hume Long, first lord of the admiralty, said that until the peace conference decided what the world's armament for the future should be, it was idle to ask any naval expert to frame recommendations for the future.

He added that the British navy intended to apply the lessons it had learned in the war in the development of the fleet. The number of men for which the vote was asked was the maximum from which it was hoped to work down. Work had been stopped on a great number of ships of all classes which were under construction when the armistice was signed.

Mr. Long said that while avoiding any expenditure that could be avoided consistent with the safety of the country, the government felt that it was its duty to see that he navy was able o perform its double task of maintaining the integrity of the empire and playing a continuously leading part in preserving the peace of the world.

Women Need Swamp-Root

Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased.

Pain in the back, headache, loss of ambition, nervousness, are often times symptoms of kidney trouble.

Don't delay starting treatment. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a physician's prescription, obtained at any drug store, may be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Get a medium or large size bottle immediately from any drug store.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation, send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention The Lowell Sun. —Adv.

GIFT YOU A PET SNAKE AND JOIN THE R. S. S. OF A.

N. E. A. Special to The Sun

NEW YORK,—"Pretty, pretty! Oh, what a nice snake you have. What breed is he?"

That's a nice line of talk for a street corner meeting, but it may become common if the Reptile Study Society of America can convince any number of people that snakes are just the dearest pets.

Here are some of the arguments the R. S. S. of A. members advance for their choice:

Snakes take up little room.
They need be fed but rarely.
They are never noisy.
They are clean in their habits.
They may be left alone in the house for a week or even a month, and will be on deck with a lively and affectionate greeting for you when you return.

And certainly the relative points of merit of a pet cobra and a nice lively copperhead—each properly muzzled or de-fanged—should provide conversational material when conversation threatens to languish.

Allen S. William is president of the New York R. S. S. of A. and leads all snake hunts of that organization, except such as are pursued in the regions of the all night bright lights. He has a score of the pretty things.

HAS NOT HAD AN HOUR'S SICKNESS

Since He Commenced To Take "Fruit-a-tives"

73 Lees Ave., Ottawa.

"Three years ago, I began to feel run-down and tired, and suffered very much from Liver and Kidney Trouble. Having heard of "Fruit-a-tives", I thought I would try them. The result was surprising.

I have not had an hour's sickness since I commenced using "Fruit-a-tives" or *Fruit Liver Tablets*, and I know now what I haven't known for a good many years—the blessing of a healthy body and clear thinking brain" WALTER J. MARRIOTT.

50c a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or from FRUIT-A-TIVES Limited OGDENSBURG, N. Y.

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Friday morning we put on sale over 200 dozens Ladies' Fine Thread Silk Hosiery at

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3 Pairs for $2.00

The colors are black, white, dark brown, light brown, dark gray and light gray. Sizes 8 1-2 to 10.

Friday Night 4-HOUR Cash Specials

From 5.30 to 9.30 Only

Men's $30 Suits	$25.75
Men's $25 Spring Overcoats	$21.75
Men's $15 Raincoats	$11.75
Men's $4 Worsted Pants	$3.25
Men's $4 Soft or Stiff Hats	$3.25
Men's $2 Caps	$1.65
Men's $2 Shirts	$1.50
Men's $1.00 Neckwear	79c
Men's 25c Value Laundered Collars,	3 for 25c
Men's 35c Stockings	29c
Men's $2 Wool Underwear	95c
Men's $4 Odd Sweaters	$1.95
Men's $1.50 Work Shirts	$1.19
Boys' $15 Suits	$12.75
Boys' $3 All Wool Blue Serge Pants	$2.45
Boys' $1.25 Pants	95c
Boys' 39c Stockings	3 Pairs $1.00
Ladies' $6.98 New Waists	$5.98
Ladies' $1.98 New Waists	$1.49
Ladies' $18.50 Dresses	$13.75
Ladies' $2.69 House Dresses	$1.98
Ladies' $1.69 Bungalow Aprons	$1.29
Ladies' $2 Umbrellas	$1.59

Merrimack Clothing Co.

ACROSS FROM CITY HALL — OPEN FRIDAY NIGHT

STAMP OUT BOLSHEVISM

Dernburg Says if Germany Succeeds at Home, it Will Cause Decrease in Russia

PARIS, Wednesday, March 12.—"If Germany succeeds in crushing Bolshevism at home, it will cause it to decrease in Russia, since Bolshevism arises from an idealist phenomenon which needs success to keep it alvie," says Dr. Bernard Dernburg, former colonial secretary of the German government and at one time unofficial mouthpiece for Emperor William in the United States, in an interview at Weimar, published in the Echo de Paris. "When calm is restored," he continued, "Germany will be able to plan economic action to the east to stamp out Bolshevism. Germany's best plan, in my opinion, would be to go ahead as quickly as possible with social reforms. It must be proved to the German people that their rulers are doing everything possible to relieve them materially and to help them to develop themselves morally and intellectually.

"That is, I believe, the view of the existing government, and I have reason to believe that these methods will give good results."

ARE ACCUSED OF BEING AVOWED ANARCHISTS

NEW YORK, March 13.—Charges of being avowed anarchists were preferred against three men and one woman, today, the only persons held after a raid last night on a building in East 15th street, in which 162 men and women were arrested on suspicion of conection with the Bolsheviki.

The four detained are aliens, according to the police. The prisoners are being held subject to orders from federal officials.

ON CANADIAN LIST

OTTAWA, Ont., March 13.—W. J. Price of Pawtucket, R. I., is ill, according to today's casualty list.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange anything try a Sun want ad.

WHAT GOOD IS WEALTH

if you are in poor health, if almost everything that you eat distresses you, frequent headaches, pains in the stomach, bad taste in the mouth, dark rings under the eyes, etc? The fact is, life is not worth living if you are a chronic sufferer from indigestion and Biliousness.

When the stomach is out of order, the liver not working properly, your heart is obliged to do so much extra work, that it causes palpitation, faintness, and if not checked becomes dangerous.

To feel fresh and fit for your daily duties, you must keep your stomach well, your liver active, and the bowels regular; you can get into this healthy condition by taking SEVEN BARKS, as a digestive tonic, and stomach remedy, it has no equal, and 50 years of continuous sale prove its wonderful merit.

Get at the root of your indigestion and constipation trouble by driving all poisons out of your system for good. No matter how chronic your case is, you can get quick relief by taking nature's remedy, SEVEN BARKS; one bottle costing 50c will prove its value. After you have proven its wonderful efficiency, you will never be without it. Ask your druggist for it.

To Standardize R. R. Equipment

PARIS, Wednesday, March 12. (By the Associated Press.)—The French are making an effort, which probably will be successful in the end, to secure a report from the sub-committee on waterways and railways in favor of the standardization of equipment on continental railroads. This would permit the use of cars across national boundaries, which is now impossible owing to differences in couplings and other details of construction.

Such a step would tend to unify economic systems and reduce costs of transportation.

Carmen Strike in Barcelona

MADRID, Wednesday, March 12.—The street car employes at Barcelona went on strike today, and the minister of the interior announced that they were mobilized at once under government control. He declares that the same measure will be promptly applied to the employes of any other public utility corporation who go on strike.

FAMO STOPS SEBORRHEA THE DANDRUFF DISEASE

No other hair remedy even remotely resembles FAMO.

FAMO kills the dandruff germ and stops the unhealthy flow from the sebaceous glands.

Every ingredient in FAMO is well known to physicians.

But none of these ingredients were ever before applied to saving the hair.

Science perfected FAMO in one of the oldest pharmaceutical houses in Detroit—famous for its laboratories which supply physicians all over the world with medical goods.

FAMO not only kills the seborrhea microbe but it makes the scalp and hair as clean as that of a baby.

It ends all itching of the scalp.

Even where baldness has already appeared (unless the hair roots are absolutely dead) FAMO will encourage and stimulate the growth of new hair.

Many women say FAMO has caused their hair to grow from four to six inches.

FAMO retards grayness and strengthens the natural color. It contains no alcohol to dry the scalp and produce gray hairs.

It makes the hair luxuriant and lustreful and if there is a tendency to waviness FAMO intensifies it.

Famo should be used by every member of the family.

It can safely be used on the head of the baby as there is nothing in FAMO that will harm the tenderest scalp.

Used on the head of growing children it will make the most unruly hair lie flat and easy to comb.

Young women find FAMO a peculiarly fine hair dressing. It makes the hair fluffy and full of life.

If you have dandruff you have seborrhea.

Seborrhea is as dangerous to the hair as pyorrhea is to the teeth.

So if you have dandruff not a day should be lost in applying FAMO.

Not until FAMO has cleared your scalp of the deadly dandruff bacilli is your hair safe.

Even if you have no dandruff now you should use FAMO so that dandruff will be kept away and to make the hair fluffy and beautiful.

FAMO comes in two sizes—35 cents, and an extra large bottle at $1. It is sold at all toilet goods counters. Applications at all the better barber shops. Your money will be refunded if you are not satisfied.

Seborrhea is the medical name for a morbidly increased flow from the sebaceous glands of the scalp. The seborrheic excretion forms in scales or flakes and is commonly known as dandruff.

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Dr. Blanchard — Dr. Manso

"REDS" THREATEN TO DESTROY CHURCH

STOUGHTON, March 13.—The Catholic parish church of Stoughton is under constant guard, following a threat made by a Bolshevik element among Lithuanian laborers here to blow it up because of the outspoken antagonism of Rev. James F. Stanton.

It became known yesterday that an investigation conducted by local authorities has revealed the existence of a secret society among the workers which has been holding regular meetings, at one of which the plot is supposed to have been hatched. Boston agents of the department of justice have been notified and a systematic attempt will be made to search out the leaders.

Following some very plain statements made by Fr. Stanton in his sermons, the Lithuanians, most of whom are employed in the Stoughton Rubber company, began the publication of a propagandist pamphlet, Kartas. It was written in Russian and contained considerable matter of an inflammable nature centring its attack upon the Catholic church. When one of the booklets was openly shown in the Stoughton Rubber company shops, Fr. Stanton protested to the management. At least four men were discharged as a result. This is thought to have led to the threat.

Fr. Stanton came to Stoughton 11 years ago. He has led an attack against the radical foreign element here since the first manifestation of Bolshevism.

CAMPS BURNED

Lowell Summer Camps Burned at Keyes' Pond

The summer camps of Henry L. Williams of the school department and Moses Hobson, engineer at the State Normal school, located at Keyes' pond in North Westford, were totally destroyed by fire Tuesday night, while the camps of Clarence M. Weed of the State Normal school and Louis Mercier, a resident of this city, were partly burned. It is believed that the fire was the work of an incendiary hand.

Late Tuesday night a small blaze was discovered on the piazza of the Mercier camp by George H. Burke of Westford, who was returning to his home after attending the drill of the state guard at the Westford town hall. He extinguished the blaze and later found traces of kerosene about the boards of the piazza. Mr. Burke then resumed his trip and later saw a big blaze in the vicinity of the pond and he gave the alarm. The Westford department responded, but the firefighters were unable to save the Williams and Hobson camps. The state police have been notified of the disastrous fire and an investigation will be conducted.

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PETITION TO FORM A NEUTRAL REPUBLIC

VIENNA, Wednesday, March 12 (By the Associated Press).—The inhabitants of the German language islet of Gottschee, in Carniola, consisting of one fair-sized town and 171 villages, have presented the American commission under Prof. A. C. Coolidge of Harvard, which is in this city studying Austro-Hungarian problems, a memorandum for transmission to Paris and Washington, asking permission for the formation of a neutral republic under the protectorate of the American people.

The memorandum embodies a complaint of oppression by the Slovene authorities. It points out that half the population of the Gottschee consists of former emigrants from it to the United States, many of them American citizens, and that the pre-war relations between Gottschee and the United States were such that the dollar circulated nearly as much as the crown and was accepted by everyone.

R. I. MAY DISPUTE "DRY" ACT LEGALITY

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 13.—A proposal to have Rhode Island dispute the legality of federal prohibition was made in the general assembly yesterday. A resolution was introduced in the lower branch which would authorize the attorney general to take the steps necessary to obtain prompt determination by the supreme court of the United States of the constitutionality of the act of congress in proposing the prohibitory amendment.

It is asserted in the resolution that the 18th amendment does not in fact amend our system of government, but instead "completely alters and transforms" it; that amendment "constitutes a revolutionary transformation of the government," that it is destructive of the constitution. The fact that two successive legislatures of this state have refused to ratify the amendment is stated as a further reason for the proposed proceedings.

The resolution introduced by Representative Jacob A. Eaton of this city was referred to the committee on judiciary. It is understood that it will have the support of leaders in the lower branch.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A regular meeting of the members of Lowell lodge, L.O.O.M. was held last evening in Odd Fellows' building, Middlesex street with Director Edward Goodson in the chair. A feature of the meeting was the nomination of officers, the election to be held at a later date. Interesting remarks were made by Messrs. Drouin, Hersome, Demmons and Green. It was announced that a smoker will be held in connection with the class initiation Sunday afternoon, March 16 and that the speakers will be Hon. James E. O'Donnell and Hon. John T. Sparks.

Pythian Sisters

Routine business was transacted at the regular meeting of the members of Dorcas temple, Pythian Sisters, which was held last evening. It was announced that the election of officers will be held March 26, and the members were informed that those who are planning to visit the S. Louise Gale couple at Lawrence March 19, will leave on the 4.30 o'clock car from Merrimack square.

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DON'T FORGET THE DATE

CHAMP CLARK'S DENIAL

Declares Man Who Said He States League Had No Chance Is "Malicious Liar"

ATLANTA, Ga., March 13.—Champ Clark in a signed statement given out here, denies that he said the League of Nations had no chance to be ratified by the United States senate.

"Anybody who says that I said 'President Wilson's League of Nations has as much chance of being ratified as you have of being pope of Rome,' is a malicious liar," Mr. Clark declares. "I have studiously avoided discussion in my lectures or in interviews, though asked to do so in both.

"I gave as a reason that I was studying the subject and the arguments on both sides, thoroughly. When the news came over to the house the last night of the session that 50 senators had signed a round robin against it, I said that the League of Peace could not be ratified because it takes two-thirds to ratify—that is unless they changed their minds, because of amendments or for other reasons—all of which is a mathematical demonstration.

"I never spoke to Congressman Mays on the subject in my life, and it so happened that I had no conversation with him about anything for a good while as I had no reason to do so.

"When I have had time to study the subject in all its bearings, I probably will give full expression to my views.

"This Mays canard is part and parcel of the campaign which he and others are making to disorganize and factionalize the democrats in the house."

HIGHER PRICE BUT BETTER COAL

The price of coal for 1919-20 will be higher all over New England and the quality will be better. The Lajoie coal company has completed arrangements with four companies for the highest grade of coal mined and these coals include Old Company Lehigh, Lackawanna, real Jeddo and Franklin, Kingston and the companies' own brand, the Keystone. All these coals rank among the best that are produced. While coal will be higher in price the quality will be such that the heat units and the lasting power will make the price actually lower as it won't require so much coal when the slate is practically all removed. The reason for a higher price this year is because the mines will hold for the present price, April 1st, instead of dropping the usual fifty cents, and on May 1st, will begin a monthly advance on the price until September 1st.

Dr. Garfield has stated that were the fuel administration to have continued he would have allowed a higher price per ton at the mines. As to the justice of this the Lajoie Coal Co. knows nothing, but assumes it must be sound as the decision of the fuel administration was reached after an exhaustive study of conditions by the federal trade bureau.

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TEMPTATION
TODAY—COLONIAL THEATRE—TODAY
—MIDDLESEX STREET—

GROCERS AND BUTCHERS

President J. J. Allard occupied the chair at the regular meeting of the Lowell Grocers' and Butchers' association, which was held last evening in Elks' hall, Middle street. Several communications of importance were read by the secretary and routine business was transacted. The members stood in silence in memory of their late brother, Daniel J. Donovan. At the close of the business session a social hour was held during which a buffet luncheon was served.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange anything try a Sun want ad.

Sporting News and Newsy Sports

ARE READY FOR BOUT

De Foe and Hayes Clash at Local Club Tonight—The Other Bouts

Billy De Foe and Johnny Hayes are ready for their bout at tonight's meeting of the Crescent A.A. and indications point to a thrilling mill. Both are aggressive and fast working performers and each is confident of landing the verdict. De Foe is particularly anxious to pull down the award for he is now in line for a match with Johnny Kilbane.

De Foe proved to be one of the classiest boxers that has ever showed in Lowell in his contest with Al Shubert and the fact that Shubert refuses to make a return match with him at the local club leads us to believe that the terrific body punches which lifted Shubert from the floor on several occasions were doing a great deal more damage than the ordinary observer had any idea.

Tonight's contest will be at catch weight which will allow both men to come good and strong at the weight that suits him best, which will be approximately 127 pounds each.

Billy Lewis of Lawrence and Joe Armstrong of Lowell will meet in the semi final and there will be two preliminaries, with four Lowell boys the principals.

HIGGINS SCORES THREE GOALS IN TWO MINUTES

WORCESTER, March 13.—Worcester defeated Lawrence in an interesting polo game last night, 6 to 3. A feature was the caging of three goals by Higgins in two minutes in the final period, after Hardy had tied the score. The summary:

WORCESTER	LAWRENCE
Taylor, lr	lr, Fahrner
Higgins, 2r	2r, Quigley
O'Brien, c	c, Harrold
Morrison, hb	hb, Hardy
Maxwell, g	g, Blount

Goals—Taylor 3, Higgins 3, Quigley 2, Hardy 1, Fowls—Hardy. Stops—Maxwell 32, Blount 41. Referee—Graham.

AMERICAN POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost
Lowell	49	35
Salem	45	37
Providence	42	41
Worcester	37	40
New Bedford	35	42
Lawrence	33	46

POLO NOTES

Barney Doherty and his Gold Bugs from Providence will be with us tomorrow night. It was stated that last Friday night's game was the last that Providence would play here, but that was a mistake. They will be here tomorrow night and also later on. We're glad of it, for Providence always plays a fast, clean and scientific game and have given the locals much trouble this season.

WALTER CAMP DECLINES A.A.U. PRESIDENCY

NEW HAVEN, March 13.—Walter Camp, the mentor of Yale athletics for the past 25 years, who has recently been approached as a possibility for the presidency of the Amateur Athletic union, today declared that because of his private business he would be unable to accept the honor.

"I regard it as a very great honor to have been considered as head of the A.A.U., a body which has made such a record for the advancement of athletic sports," he said.

"One of the reasons why I regret so keenly that I could not accept these honors and assume these duties, is because I believe that there is a new field for the development of sport throughout not only this country but the entire world. Every boy and man, every girl and woman, has a heritage of health in play, and I believe that the greatest field for our endeavor will be that of industrial athletics, and in this all of our most powerful organizations should become factors.

"The man who gets some sport in his spare time, whether he be president, director, superintendent or worker, is the one who soonest loses his dissatisfaction with life and finds that that kind of relaxation has no 'comeback,' no headache or discomfort.

"We have the finest example of all in President Wilson and his golf. We have the greatest incentive left us in the words and life of ex-President Roosevelt.

"With the help of the A. A. U. and the new boxing board, and all our national athletic bodies, we are on the eve of the broadest developments we have ever seen."

SHARPE MAY COACH YALE FOOTBALL

NEW HAVEN, March 13.—A report was current on the Yale campus yesterday that Al Sharpe, veteran athletic coach at Cornell university, will coach the Yale football team next fall, replacing Tad Jones.

K. OF C. BOWLING LEAGUE

The Isabellas and the Trinidads were the winners in the K. of C. Bowling league Tuesday evening. The scores:

ISABELLAS

Sullivan	81	84	94	259
Kelley	83	83	70	236
Moloney 1st	80	81	99	260
Lang	110	84	95	289
Joe Donohoe	88	105	87	290
Totals	455	437	435	1325

GENOAS

Qualey	79	74	91	244
Ahearn	66	76	84	226
E. Connors	87	80	77	244
Queenan	80	78	76	234
Driggan	72	96	92	260
Totals	384	404	420	1208

SAN SALVADORS

Callahan	81	97	100	281
T. O'Neil	89	80	83	252
C. Donohoe	79	76	74	229
J. Keefe	106	106	102	314
Savage	117	81	87	285
Totals	466	450	445	1361

TRINIDADS

Stapleton	81	99	91	271
O'Malley	91	99	80	270
Jas. Donohoe	79	77	100	256
Slattery	102	96	96	294
Noonan	94	105	102	301
Totals	447	476	472	1395

KITTREDGE MINOR LEAGUE

The following is the standing and averages in the Kittredge Minor league to date:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Kittredge	39	9	81.2
Mathews	31	14	70.8
Mohicans	24	20	54.5
Lawrence	20	24	45.4
Baldwins	14	26	35.0
Royal Rs	11	26	28.0

Individual percentages—Irish 103.22, White 102.6, King 102.1, Curry 102.11, Lillie 102.10, Ringwood 102.7, Bowers 101.37, Whitlock 100.21, Maloney 100.13, Panton 100.11, Mahoney 101.9, Riley 100, Ryan 99.3, Eastham 99.1, Dean 98.1, F. Ouimette 98.25, Neault 97.11, Sewell 97, Swindell 97, Davis 95.27, Purtell 94.11, Hague 92.18, Andreoli 91.19, A. McMahon 91.10, Simard 99.10, Scott 90.

LAID DOWN FOR JESS

Jack Johnson Says Bout With Willard Was Fixed —Still Claims Title

HAVANA, Wednesday, March 12.—Jack Johnson, former heavyweight champion, in a signed statement tonight, declared that his fight with Jess Willard in this city four years ago was a prearranged affair and that he allowed Willard to win. In addition to the sum of $30,000, Johnson says he received the entire rights to the fight film in Europe and 33 1-3 per cent. of the proceeds from their exhibition in the United States, with the promise of aid to settle his difficulties with the federal authorities in Chicago so that he might return there to reclaim his property and see his mother.

He declares that it was arranged that he should lose in the tenth round, provided Willard's showing was such as to justify it, but that as Willard was doing practically nothing, he was forced to wait. The signal agreed upon was given in the 20th round, Johnson states, but he waited until the 26th round to give Willard an opportunity to make a good showing.

Johnson declares that unless Willard agrees to fight him within a reasonable time, he will claim the world's title. He signed his statement:

"Jack Johnson, champion."

Col. D'Estrampes, former congressman, who is backing Johnson, says that he is willing to battle Willard anywhere in the United States, the proceeds to go to the Clark Griffith bat and ball fund, or to any charity. The colonel has wired Bat Masterson of New York, asking for the addresses of Dempsey and Fulton, with the idea of arranging a match in Havana, between either of them and Johnson. He said in his cablegram that Johnson is "disposed to defend the world's championship" against either of these men.

Johnson's Statement

Johnson's statement in part follows:

"To arrange the match, Jack Curley came to London from New York. He asked me if I was willing to fight Willard and I said I would if he gave me my price. I thought I could beat his man for him. Curley said he didn't want that. I told Curley I'd make the match.

"When ready to leave London, I wired Curley for a certain sum of money, which he readily sent. Well, it went on and began to bother me and I spoke to my wife, who advised me not to do it, but I told her that if I was going to lose, I'd send her word in time to get out. The reason I said that was because there was more money coming to me and I did not want to lose until I found out they would pay me the sum asked for and guaranteed that they would get me out of trouble in America, the most important thing for me.

"Then we figured on the best round to lose in and agreed upon the tenth. They were to give the word in the first three or four rounds if Willard could make a good showing.

"At the end of the tenth round, Willard's showing had been so poor it was necessary to continue the fight further. The signal agreed upon was given in the 20th round, but I considered Willard's showing so poor I was forced to wait until the 26th before carrying out the agreement.

"I was to have all the moving picture rights in Europe and 33 1-3 per cent of those in America and Canada.

"When I finally received the moving picture film, it was a blank one. I took it to the best film experts in Europe but it was found to be worthless.

"Everybody knows how anxious I was to straighten out the little Chicago difference. I would have done almost anything in reason to be able to visit my mother, who was old and feeble.

"Unless Willard agrees to fight within a reasonable time, which he should do to prove, if he can, that he beat me fairly, I shall claim the world's title."

Willard Calls Story "Joke"

LAWRENCE, Kan., March 13. "Jack Johnson simply needs the money and is trying to put over another match," was the comment of Jess Willard when shown the statement received from Havana today in which Johnson claimed the championship bout with Willard four years ago was a prearranged affair.

"There is absolutely nothing to it," Willard continued. "I refuse to dignify the statement with a denial for as far as I am concerned, it is simply a crude joke.

"In view of the fact that there were sport writers and fight critics from all over the world in Havana when I won the championship from Johnson, it is foolish to suppose that a fake could have been perpetrated even if I had been so low as to countenance such an arrangement.

"Johnson's game is almost childish in its simplicity, and you may say for me that I refuse to fall for it. I do not intend to fight Johnson again or any other colored man."

CITY BOWLING LEAGUE

Result of the games in the city bowling league with appended standing and averages:

CRESCENTS

Jewett	94	107	94	295
Concannon	93	120	100	313
Johnson	90	83	92	265
Lebrun	106	99	99	304
Kelley	103	110	95	308
Totals	486	519	480	1485

HIGHLAND DAYLIGHTS

Hall	108	101	81	290
Kempton	86	101	97	284
Luce	86	94	111	291
Estes	109	83	99	291
Martel	90	102	103	295
Totals	479	491	487	1457

WHITE WAYS

Brigham	83	85	167	235
Sweeney	102	93	85	281
Griffin	117	111	85	313
Dwyer	100	93	101	294
Devlin	106	115	104	325
Totals	519	500	482	1501

U. S. CARTRIDGE CO.

Perrin	90	99	96	285
Schonhom	96	92	91	279
Myrick	95	97	97	289
Flanders	97	118	95	311
Whipple	105	93	101	299
Totals	483	497	485	1465

STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pins
Highland Daylights	34	20	21070
Crescents	31	30	23805
White Ways	26	28	23890
U.S. Cartridge Co.	26	38	23552

AVERAGES

Martel 107.12, Whipple 103.25, Kelley 102.3, Brigham 101.2, Devlin 100.20, Estes 100.12, Lebrun 99.37, Jewett 99.34, Dwyer 99.32, Concannon 99.15, Cole 99.2, Hall 98.19, Flanders 98.3, Schonhom 98.1, Perrin 97.26, Johnson 97.8, Sweeney 97.18, Kempton 96.17, Myrick 96.6, Griffin 100.35.

WOMEN'S TENNIS TOURNEY

NEW YORK, March 13.—Semi-final matches in the women's national indoor championship tennis tournament at the Seventh Regiment armory today brought Boston players against New Yorkers for the singles title.

In the semi-final matches today for the doubles title, the pairings were as follows:

Mrs. Spencer F. Weaver and Miss Eleanor Goss, present title holders, versus Mrs. Wightman and Miss Zinderstein; Mrs. Green and Miss Natalie Browning versus Mrs. Albert Humphries and Miss Bessie G. Holden.

162 TAKEN IN N. Y. RAID

Four Held For Having Literature Advocating Overthrow of Government

NEW YORK, March 13.—All but four of the 160 men and two women who were taken to the criminal courts building in East 15th street were released after being questioned by immigration officials, police and secret service men.

Those arrested were Molly Steimer, 21 years old, sentenced to 15 years imprisonment for violation of the espionage law, but at liberty pending appeal to the supreme court; Marcus Ordowsky, aged 24, manager of Bread and Freedom, a periodical; Peter Bianco, aged 27, secretary of the Russian Union of Peasant Workers of America, and Arthur Kelezes, aged 22, a printer. They are charged with having in their possession literature advocating the overthrow of the government.

The East 15th street building, was occupied by the Union of Russian Peasant Workers of America. All of those taken to criminal courts were questioned regarding their ideas of government, their recent movements and sources of income.

The raid was decided upon after police who had been on guard in the vicinity for two weeks announced that 162 persons had been seen to enter the building, which had long been suspected to be headquarters for radicals recently arrived from Russia.

LOWELL MEN IN MEET

Mansur, Mullane and Darling To Compete in Boston Athletic Games

Lowell will be represented at the New England athletic championships at the East armory in Boston Saturday night by Warren Mansur and Pat Mullane, high jumper and distance runner, respectively, of the local high school track team. Mansur will compete in the jump, while Mullane is entered in the handicap six hundred. Mansur does not expect to win, by any means, as he will be up against Walter Whalen, Harry Barwise and other cracks, but it is a cinch that the Lowell captain will stick with them for most of the distance, and it will give him the best sort of practice. Mullane doesn't know what his handicap will be, but the boy is strong enough to stand a lot of roughing and driving, of which there is always a plenty in a large field, and should be close up at the finish. If he makes his race all the way from the gun he has an excellent chance.

The meet has one feature that promises to be one of the best of the indoor year—the 1000-yard run, which has Dave Caldwell, Jimmy Connolly and Gordon Nightingale as entrants. Many people are backing the Woburn lad to win, but if Caldwell ever gets his 11th-hour burst in working order it is "good night" to Connolly and all the rest of the field.

Mansur, Mullane and Darling of the local team will also take in the schoolboy meet in Boston on Saturday, March 22. Here Mansur will again meet John Feeney of English high, and with spiked shoes the Lowell jumper hopes to make things even up for the defeat he received at Feeney's hands at the Huntington school meet. Darling is well capable of clearing 5 feet 6 inches, which ought to land him in third place. It will be his first outside competition and will do him worlds of good. Mullane will probably run in the "thousand."

BOYLE A VERY BUSY BOXER

Phinney Boyle of Lowell, who is to meet Young Dixon at Lawrence tonight, is one of the busiest boxers in this section. He has two big bouts on for next month. On April 1 he will tackle Charley Parker in Boston and the following week he will meet Harry Carlson in the Hub. He announced before leaving for Lawrence today that he was in great condition for tonight's bout and felt confident of winning.

Word came from Lawrence today that Dixon, who was a sergeant in the army, and his manager, Lieut. Kennedy, arrived in the down river city this morning. It was said that Dixon was in fine shape and confident of victory.

Boyle and his friends will leave Lowell at 7.15 tonight.

KAISER PLANNED TO FLEE TO SWEDEN IN SEPT.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—William Hohenzollern, two months before the armistice was signed, planned an asylum in Sweden, but was prevented from going to that country by the Swedish government, diplomatic advices made public today disclose.

His plans had reached the point where a deal was virtually closed for him to rent Castle Stora Sundby, situated on one of the large lakes in the centre of Sweden, about four hours' run by train from Stockholm. The castle is owned by old friends, Prince and Princess Wadel.

Preparations for his reception went so far that vast sums were spent in putting the castle in repair, and comment was critical in the vicinity because of the scarcity and cost of materials in Sweden at that time.

When the Swedish government learned the purpose to which the castle was to be put, representations were made and William Hohenzollern changed his plans, with the result that in a few weeks he fled to another castle in Holland.

HARVARD BASEBALL SCHEDULE

CAMBRIDGE, March 13.—Several changes in the Harvard varsity baseball schedule were announced today. The second Brown university contest, set for May 31, will be delayed until June 3. The proposed game with the Boston National club has been dropped from the schedule and the fourth game of the season will be played with the University of Havana nine, April 19, at Soldiers' field.

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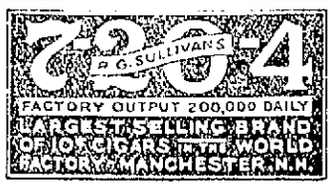

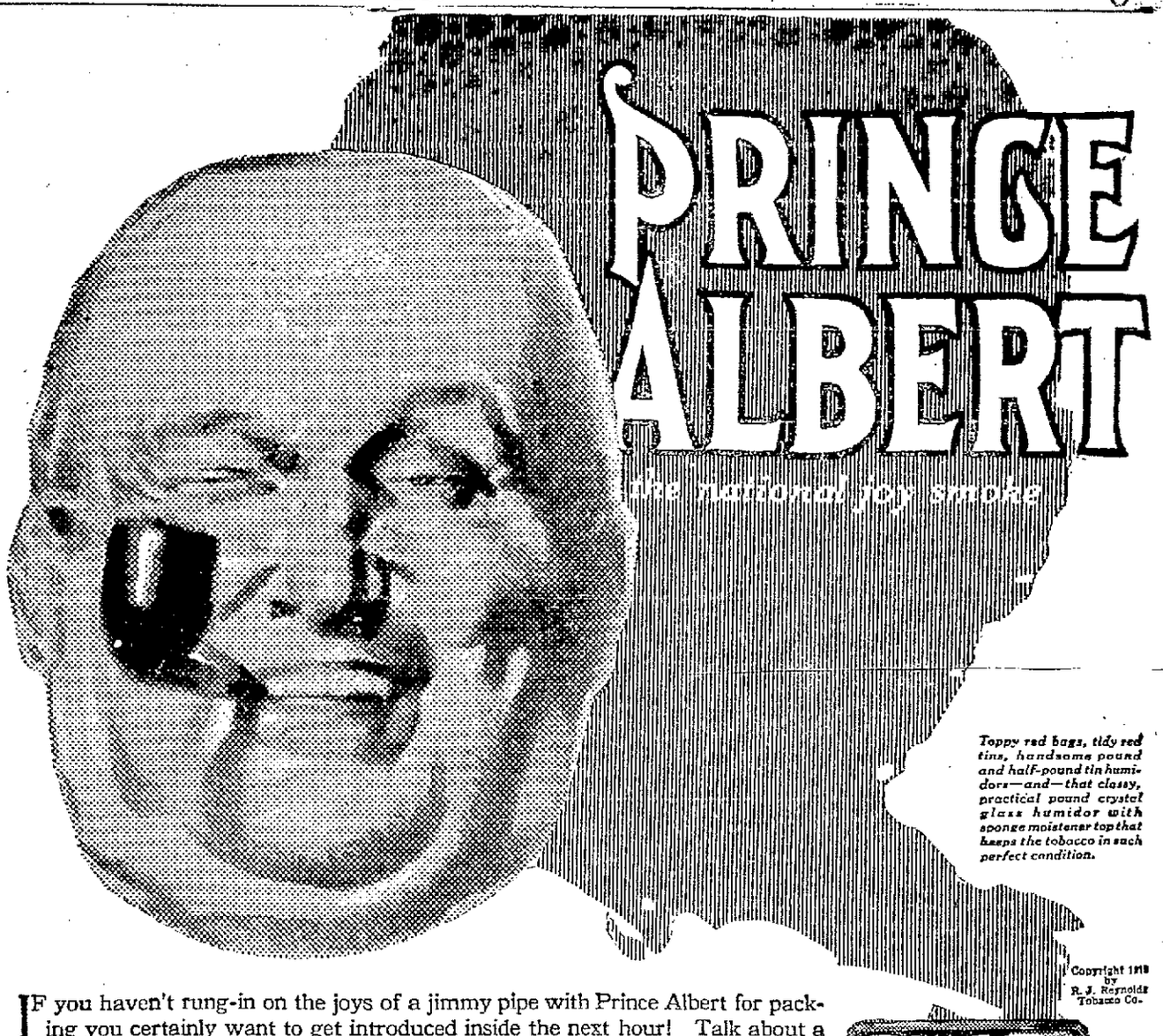

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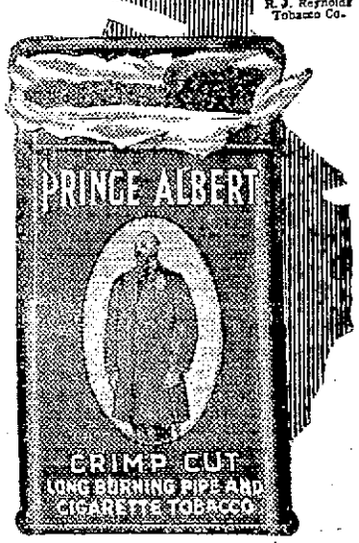

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EUROPE WANTS TEXTS OF LEAGUE DEBATE

BOSTON, March 13.—Applications for tickets to the debate on the League of Nations between Senator Henry Cabot Lodge and Pres. A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard university in Symphony hall, March 19, must be made to the committee on arrangements, composed of Louis A. Coolidge and Robert M. Washburn, representing Senator Lodge, and Rev. Edward Cummings and Courtenay Crocker, for President Lowell, before 12 noon Saturday.

Not more than two tickets will be issued to one person. Telephone applications will not be considered. Tickets will be mailed to successful applicants, so that they will be received Wednesday morning, the day of the debate.

An addressed return envelope, with proper postage, must accompany applications, which are to be directed to "Committee on Arrangements Lodge-Lowell Debate, 40 Mt. Vernon street, Boston."

From all parts of the United States, London, Paris, and other European centers requests have been made for the full text of the proceedings, and the news agencies are planning to install direct wires from the hall to the principal newspaper and cable offices of the country, providing the management gives permission.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

Below is what the press agents of the different theatres say of the current attractions and of others to come later.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Old timers who have seen Lillian Shaw, appearing at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week, are unanimous in their opinion that she is positively the best character artist seen on a Lowell stage in a long time. Her work shows deep study, particularly into a certain type of Hebrew character. In this she is at her very best, although the Italian number she gives is artistically done. She is naturally the hit of the week. William H. McCart and Ethlynne Bradford in "Love, Honor and Obey" are tried and true performers, who are specially good in comedy work. The little play, which was written by Mr. McCart, is a swift-moving affair with an unusual finish to it. The best girl performers of the season are the Wilton Sisters, who sing and dance and talk and play the violin and the piano. The girls have much ability, and are guaranteed to hold up the show at every performance. Pantomimists that tell a whole story with their hands and their faces are the Three Eddies, and others on the bill are the Curzon Sisters, maxillary artists; Wallace & Drew in a skit and Swift & Daley in a musical novelty.

THE STRAND

Virginia Pearson in "The Love Auction" will be one of the chief attractions on the bill at The Strand for the last three days of the week. In this offering the star will be seen in the role of a young woman who is courted by two men. On the one hand is money and on the other true love. She believes herself justified in choosing the moneyed representative and enters into marriage. For a time she enjoys a degree of happiness, but one day she discovers that her husband is addicted to drink. Further investigation discloses the fact that he is a habitual drunkard and before long his actions become unbearable. Then the other suitor, now possessed of wealth, puts in an appearance, and the old love is revived. Matters become greatly involved and the picture leads to a stirring climax, the details of which are revealed by the picture itself. Miss Pearson appears resplendent in the leading role, giving her whole self to the part and acting with a fine show of emotionalism. She is supported by Hugh Thompson, Edward Stanley and others. See it.

"Woman, Woman!" is the unique title of the photoplay starring Evelyn Nesbit. The piece gives her further opportunity to demonstrate her ability in emotional and highly dramatic scenes and portrayals. It's the story of a girl who believes that destiny calls her to the metropolis. Her experiences with three men form the basis of the play and rest assured, they are experiences that keep the spectator ever on the alert.

Ray Hughes, impersonator of Charlie Chaplin, will provide an extra feature for the week-end. Don't fail to see this comedian, whose antics, while not all original, have a marked degree of entertaining power behind them.

The soloist for the week, Miss Clemence Simard, the Lowell girl, is making a big hit with the patrons.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"Broken Threads," the week's production by the Emerson All Star Players at the Lowell Opera House is scoring a pronounced hit. The play is a decidedly amusing one in which the engaging cast finds chance of working out new phases of their ability as actors and actresses of the exceptional type.

On Saturday afternoon Miss Louise Girard Huntington will hold a reception immediately after the performance and the public generally is cordially invited to attend.

Next week, "Woman Against Woman," a story concerning a battle of wits between two women, with the prize a man, will be the offering. Jane Salisbury, Julian Noa, Louise Girard Huntington and Arthur Buchanan will be seen in their best parts. The play is by Frank Harvey.

WELCOME HOME TO LOWELL FIGHTERS

Centralvilles "welcome home" to the Lowell boys who fought and won promises to be an event that will long be remembered, if the present plans of the people of that section, led by "Jimmy" McNamara, do not miscarry.

A mass meeting will be held at the rooms of the Princeton club Sunday afternoon to make further and more definite plans for the big day, and several speakers will be present and address the gathering, among them being Representatives Achin, Jewett, Brennan and McMahon, former Representative Charles H. Slowey and K. of C. Secretary John Salmon. Mr. McNamara has also promised to have the Moonlight orchestra on hand for the occasion.

Officers for the undertaking will be elected from the floor and the following clubs will be represented among the audience: The Ponies, Princetons, Beacons, Mysteries, Falsons, Maples, Hildreths, Riversides, Navy Yard and representatives from the churches and French and Polish organizations.

— POLO —
At Crescent Rink
PROVIDENCE vs. LOWELL
Friday Night

WAY CLEAR TO SEVENTY-FIVE CENT GAS

Special to The Sun

STATE HOUSE, Boston, March 13.—Seventy-five cent gas is a workable business proposition and if the state takes steps to bring this about can be assured the consumer within a few years, Philip Cabot, president of the Turners Falls Light & Power company told the committee on public lighting yesterday in discussing the gas situation of the state.

"When some cities are paying as high as $1.60 a thousand cubic feet for the illuminant it seems far fetched to suggest that the rate can be more than cut in half," said Mr. Cabot, "but the fact remains true nevertheless.

"The low price can be brought about by combining the gas manufacturing plants of the commonwealth. Under the individual method of operation it is impossible to secure profits in the turning out of by-products. These when utilized to their fullest extent more than pay for the cost of the coal itself. The result is that the gas is obtained for virtually nothing, it in reality becoming the real by-product."

Mr. Cabot estimated that gas constitutes 80 per cent of the value of what is produced from each ton of coal. The remaining 20 per cent is represented by the elements available for the manufacture of coal tar, benzol, ammonia and coke. Continuing, he said:

"The coke which could be produced by ovens in this state, and which would have the full fuel equivalent of anthracite, would find a ready market as a substitute for domestic anthracite, it being especially suitable for smelting purposes. The other by-products would also command a ready sale."

He said that there are 58 companies manufacturing gas in Massachusetts now. He believed that not more than 12 should operate, these to take in the other companies for the purpose of developing sufficient financial strength to operate on a large scale. "That is the only method by which the full value of the by-product can be assured," he said.

"The production and distribution of gas is done today in substantially the same way it was 50 years ago," said Mr. Cabot. "We are fond of saying that business is standardized. The phrase sounds well but to judge from some of the comment heard of late it might be said that we are ossified.

"Despite the standardization in the manner of conducting business, however, prices are far from being standard. The public is entering a vigorous protest at their constant advances. Yet unless a way is found to reduce the cost of making and distributing gas these prices must go still higher. Our lighting companies, while they are in a fairly staple condition today must remember the misfortunes of the transportation companies and adopt measures now for the protection of themselves and of the public."

Asked why the companies had not heretofore combined, Mr. Cabot asserted that this course was deemed inadvisable because of the public outcry which would ensue about the combination of huge amounts of capital.

He made the suggestion that the board of gas and electric light commissioners make a thorough study into the question of bringing about the consolidation of all the companies in the state to not more than 10 or 12.

"I am convinced that this is the only way out of the dilemma," he concluded. "In this way and in no other way can the business be kept upon a sound basis, the public agitation quieted and government ownership, regarded by many as a panacea, avoided."

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REPORT ON IMPROVING HALE'S BROOK

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, March 13.—The special report of the state department of health on improving Hale's brook was the subject of a public hearing yesterday before the legislative committee on public health. Under this report it is estimated the cost of the improvement, including the drainage of the land in the Highland district and establishing the park system at the point where the brook runs into the Merrimack river, would be $172,000. Of this amount $150,000 would come within the city of Lowell and $22,000 in the town of Chelmsford.

Representative Thomas J. Corbett spoke in favor of the proposed improvement, which is a health measure, and suggested that the committee prepare a draft of a bill based on the recommendations of the health department. The committee adopted the attitude that the proposition is purely a local one and said the state should not be called upon to meet any of the expense.

Mr. Corbett said the bill might contain a provision giving the city of Lowell and the town of Chelmsford a term of from one to five years to make the improvement and pay for it on the basis suggested in the recommendations. At the end of the term, if the project had not been carried out, the state department of health would be empowered to go through with it and assess the cost as it seemed just.

The Hale's brook improvement, it was pointed out, has been "everybody's business and nobody's business" for the past 20 years. Mr. Corbett informed the committee that this year something should be done, and it is expected that Representative Owen E. Brennon of Lowell, a member of the committee, will assist him in procuring the necessary legislation.

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MEMORIAL FOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

A fitting memorial in some form will be placed in the Lowell high school as an honor roll of its graduates who have served in the army or navy during the war. Just what it will consist of has not been decided upon, but it is the general feeling among the school authorities that prominent recognition should be given these men.

Many high schools are making similar plans, the school at Salem being among the first to place such a tablet in its hall. Of course, it will take some time to compile a full and correct list of names, and it would not be safe to attempt it until more local men have returned from overseas, but some definite action will be taken just as soon as it seems advisable.

One expressed idea of a tablet is of bronze, inscribed with the names of all graduates who have served, with a star opposite the names of those who have died in the service. It would hold a position of high honor in the school.

DRESSMAKER FOUND DEAD IN ROOM

Anna Brennan, a dressmaker residing at 63 Tyler street, was found dead in her room this morning. Dr. T. B. Smith, medical examiner, viewed the body later and pronounced death due to natural causes.

The woman, who was about 60 years of age, had been employed by the landlady at 68 Tyler street in making dresses for the past two weeks. Last night she retired at her usual hour and seemed well as usual. This morning a Miss Donovan, who is employed in the same house, found Miss Brennan lying in bed, life extinct and the medical examiner was notified.

INFANT MORTALITY

What is undoubtedly the lowest infant mortality rate that Lowell has ever had was the record for the week ending March 8, according to figures received at the office of the board of health today from the census bureau at Washington. Lowell's rate was 7.3 and she was the 39th city from the top among the larger cities of the country, or sixth from the bottom. Grand Rapids was the leader with a rate of 25.9; Fall River second with 22.2, and Worcester third with 21.1. Denver was low with 5.4 and the average was 12.9.

DIED OF DIPHTHERIA

Medical Examiner T. B. Smith has filed a finding of death from diphtheria in the case of Wing Lee, the Chinese laundryman, who was found dead in his shop at 364 Broadway yesterday noon. A few superficial marks on the body of the man led the merical examiner to make a more thorough investigation.

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This week's city payroll amounted to $26,450.07. The amoutn of the monthly draft to pay teachers was $43,863.35.

John Osmond Cummings of 8 Butterfield street, has been accepted by the United States shipping board for training in the merchant marine.

The following Lowell men were discharged from Camp Devens today: Lester McWayde, Jerry Ribeault, Oswald Suprenant, Walter Sanborn, David Richards, Francis Gargan and Peter Kudrancy.

Private James D. Sunderland of the 305th Infantry, who took part in the Chateau Thierry and Argonne forest drives, has returned to Lowell from France. Private Sunderland was wounded at Argonne forest October 5 and spent some time in a base hospital.

Miss Mary Driscoll of Boston and Miss Emily Skilton of this city spoke this afternoon in Middlesex hall on work among girls and other welfare problems. Miss Driscoll occupies a position in Boston similar to Miss Skilton here and each told many interesting phases of their work.

Francis J. O'Hare, agent of the board of health, was successful in passing his non-competitive examination for the position which he took several weeks ago, according to notification received today by Mayor Thompson from John C. Gilbert, secretary of the civil service commission. Mr. O'Hare attained the very commendable rank of 87.83.

An enjoyable birthday party was held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Riley of Tolman avenue upon the occasion of the 15th anniversary of the birth of their son, John. An excellent musical program was carried out and included among others, a song by Master Lawrence Riley, accompanied by Miss Josephine Tague. Refreshments were later served.

A committee composed of Mayor Perry D. Thompson, Mr. Bixby, Mr. Conway and Mr. Woodward of the high school, Coach Haggerty and Capt. Warren Mansur, will meet tomorrow afternoon to decide upon and officially award the track team letter to members of this year's team. As soon as this has been settled, next year's captain will be elected by the letter men. A man must have aggregated at least five points in one meet to be eligible for the letter.

Private Richard Ganley, son of Officer John Ganley of the police department, has returned to this country after extensive overseas service with the 104th Regiment. He is now in a general army hospital in New York. Private Ganley was wounded at Chateau-Thierry.e A brother, Charles, is serving with the Army of Occupation in Germany.

Commissioner Charles J. Morse of the water department has instructed the superintendent of the department to have men put to work adjusting watergates which are protruding from the sidewalk in various parts of the city. There has been considerable complaint and at this morning's meeting of the municipal council a claim was entered by a woman who had tripped over one of the watergates and caused personal injury. Members of the police department have also been asked to report any projections on their beats to the police station so that the water department may be later notified and a remedy effected.

Spartacans Mowed Down

Continued

tions in Lichtenberg this morning. The government forces took a large number of prisoners, many of whom were executed summarily.

The government troops entered Lichtenberg after bombarding the main Spartacan nests heavily. The Spartacans fled, leaving weapons and ammunition behind. The suburb was surrounded by government troops and the only chance the Spartacans had of escape was by discarding their weapons and concealing their identity by mingling with the peaceable inhabitants.

One group of 30 prisoners included 10 women. With their hands handcuffed behind them, the men and women were taken through the Unter Den Linden to the Moabit prison. In one Spartacan nest, it is reported, 20 Poles were captured. Government soldiers reported further details of the torture and murder of government soldiers and policemen by Spartacans.

The government issued a notice that the seven depots of the republican soldier guards had been abolished and that any former members of these depots caught with weapons would be executed. The government prepared to clean up all Spartacan districts thoroughly. Large quantities of arms and ammunition were discovered.

The Lichtenberg soldiers' and workmen's council composed of independent socialists and Spartacans, has been dissolved.

Acts of Cruelty

COPENHAGEN, March 13.—German government forces after lively fighting have driven the Spartacans out of the east end section of Berlin, including Lichtenberg, according to a Berlin despatch filed yesterday. The occupation of the district, the message states, was systematically carried out by the government troops. Considerable quantities of arms were captured. The losses on the government side are declared not to have been heavy.

"The bestial acts of cruelty by the Spartacans have been fully confirmed," the message adds.

Plan to Plunder City

LONDON, Wednesday, March 12.—A Copenhagen despatch says that the nature of the fighting between government troops and Spartacan bands in the eastern suburbs of Berlin indicates that local Spartacan groups have been formed for no other purpose than to plunder the city.

An Amsterdam telegram says that on one captured Spartacan were found jewels valued at 800,000 marks. He was executed.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks to all our friends who kindly assisted us in the hour of our bereavement at the death of our dear one, Veronica Noonan. We also feel very grateful to those who sent floral offerings and spiritual bouquets, especially her classmates at St. Michael's school.

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DEATHS

McCARTHY—Mrs. Mary McCarthy died yesterday at her home, 38 Laurel street. Deceased leaves six sons, Thomas H., who is a well known musician, and at present in Newark, N. J., William R., of the Boston Post staff, Andrew, John J., of Salem; Lieut. Arthur in France and Frederick L., also well known in local musical circles; one daughter, Mrs. John T. Masterson of this city; two sisters, Mrs. Smith D. Lougee of Greenville, N. H., and Miss Ann I. Ring.

O'LEARY—Timothy J. O'Leary, a former resident of Dracut, died Tuesday in Worcester as a result of injuries received from explosives. Deceased was well known in Lowell. He leaves a wife, Margaret, six children, John A., Daniel F., William A., Joseph, Thomas P. and Vincent D., and three sisters, Mrs. Samuel Stone, Mrs. William H. Hall and Mrs. Walter Byam.

HEALEY—The late Michael Healey who died at the Lowell hospital a few days ago is survived by a wife, Bridget Barry Healey, one son, John, of the Merchant Marine U.S.N., one daughter, Mrs. Chas. Sheperd and one brother, Thomas. The body was taken to his home, 86 Summer street, by Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BERNIER—Marie Dorilda, infant daughter of Alfred and Rose Bernier, aged 1 year and 6 months, died last night at the home of her parents, 12 Branch street. Burial took place this afternoon at 1.30 o'clock in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

FUNERALS

MARKOVITZ—The funeral of Mrs. Sophie Markovitz took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 122 Chelmsford street, and was largely attended. Burial took place in the family lot in the Hebrew cemetery in Pelham, N. H., under the direction of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

KOSTARIS—The funeral of Arthur Kostaris took place yesterday afternoon from his home, 164 Cross street. Services were held at the Holy Trinity (Greek) church. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes. Burial was in Westlawn cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

McMENAMIN—The funeral of Mrs. Rose (McCann) McMenamin, beloved wife of Patrick McMenamin, took place this morning from her late home, 46 Lyons street at 8 o'clock and was largely attended by many sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated with Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan as celebrant, Rev. Daniel J. Keleher, as deacon, and Rev. Francis L. Shea as sub-deacon. Solos of the mass were sustained by Miss Mae Rynne and Mr. James E. Donnelly sang the Gregorian chant. Miss Gertrude Quigley presided at the organ. There were a profusion of beautiful floral tributes to testify to the high esteem in which the deceased was held as well as many spiritual bouquets. The bearers were Messrs. Patrick McCullon, John McMenamin, James McDonald, Frank McQuade, James E. and Arthur McCann. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the last solemn rites of the church were read at the grave by Rev. Fr. Heffernan. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

BENNETT—The funeral of Mrs. Nellie Corcoran Bennett, a former resident of this city, took place this morning from the Middlesex street depot on the arrival of the 10.27 train. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Services were held at the grave, Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

BUTLER—The funeral of Mrs. Annie Butler took place this morning from the funeral parlors of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons at 8.30 o'clock and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O.M.I. The choir under the direction of Mr. Charles F. Smith rendered the Gregorian chant. At the offertory Mr. Charles W. Brown rendered Leybach's Pie Jesu, Mrs. Hugh Walker presiding at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. Samuel O'Neil, John O'Connor, Frank Craven and Frank Cummings. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Fr. McQuaid. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FUNERAL NOTICES

TANSEY—The funeral of Eugene A. Tansey will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from the home of his parents, 322 East Merrimack street. Solemn high mass of requiem at the Immaculate Conception church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

McCARTHY—The funeral of Mrs. Mary McCarthy will take place Friday morning from her late home, 38 Laurel street at 8 o'clock. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

HALEY—The funeral of Mr. Michael Haley will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 86 Summer street. A funeral mass will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

O'LEARY—The funeral of Timothy J. O'Leary will take place Friday morning from his home, 117 Main street, Worcester. A funeral mass will be sung at St. Vincent de Paul's church, Worcester, at 8 o'clock. The cortege will reach St. Patrick's cemetery at 11.30 a. m., where the burial will take place under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

WOMAN'S BRANCH CLUB

The Woman's Research club met with Mrs. John Simpson, 67 Methuen street, Tuesday afternoon. There was a large attendance. The meeting was opened by singing "The Star Spangled Banner." Following the business session Mrs. J. E. Langstaff presented the subject, "Michelangelo," in an interesting and thoroughly written paper which was interspersed with readings by Mrs. A. D. Milliken from Longfellow's "Michelangelo." Mrs. Fred L. Roberts gave several vocal selections in her usual pleasing manner, accompanied by Miss Helen Badger. A social period followed the program during which time the hostess served luncheon, assisted by Mrs. Auguste Sarre and Mrs. A. D. Milliken. The April meeting will be at the home of Mrs. C. H. Wing in School street.

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Five Troopships Reach New York

NEW YORK, March 13.—Casual Company No. 1952 of Massachusetts, arrived today from Havre, on the Espagne, which brought a total of 534 troops, mostly casuals. Base hospital No. 30 also was aboard.

The 52nd field artillery brigade of the 27th division arrived on the America, which had 7012 passengers, including aero squadrons Nos. 13, 93 and 155, mobile hospital 105, casuals, nurses and civilians.

The Honolulu brought 114 troops from Bordeaux, comprising the advance school detachment of the Tenth field artillery brigade and casuals.

On the Atenas, also from Bordeaux, were 104 passengers, comprising 20 officers of headquarters of the 40th division, casuals and nurses.

The hospital ship Comfort brought 12 sick or wounded officers and 3903 men from Bordeaux. There were 570 sick or wounded on the America.

COUNCIL RECTIFIES LOAN ORDER

The municipal council held a special meeting at 11 o'clock this morning to rectify an oversight which it made at its last meeting in voting to borrow $35,000 for street paving. The loan was on a 10-year basis and for this reason it was deemed advisable to have the amount to be borrowed divisible by 10 for the convenience of the people who are to purchase the bonds.

The council first voted to rescind its action at last Tuesday's meeting in voting to borrow the $35,000 and then formally passed an order calling for the borrowing of $40,000.

Several routine matters were then taken care of. A petition from Victor Provencher for garage and gasoline at 15-17 West Third street was held over for a hearing April 1.

Similar action was taken on the petition of the Lajoie Coal Co. for garage and gasoline at 712 Gorham street.

The petition of Charles Dancause for gasoline at 93 Appleton street was likewise held for a hearing April 1.

The petition of Blanche E. Pratt that a sidewalk with edgestone be laid in front of the premises at 198 Fairmount street was referred to Commissioner Murphy.

A petition of claim for personal injuries from Katherine F. McNulty of 191 Hale street on account of injuries sustained from tripping over a projecting watergate in Hale street, was referred to the law department.

Adjourned at 11.07 until Tuesday at 10 a. m.

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NEW ENGLAND NAMES ON CASUALTY LIST

The casualty list for today contains the name of Lieut. Raymond B. Messer, of the aviation branch of the army, recorded as having died as the result of an aeroplane accident. This sad news reached Lowell somewhat prior to this announcement and The Sun announced the fact of the brave young aviator's death and necessary details a number of days ago. Lieut. Messer was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Bradley A. Messer of 63 A street, Lowell.

Killed in Action

Pr. Herman Kaskinem, 611½ Millbury st., Worcester, Mass.
Pr. John J. Mayer, 31 Almont st., Malden, Mass.

Died of Wounds

Pr. Joe Ciserilla, box 363, Sagamore, Mass.

Died of Disease

Lieut. David E. Henry, 24 Harvest st., Boston, Mass.
Lieut. George S. Norton, 10 Wood st., Haystate, Northampton, Mass.
Cor. Charles L. Roberts, 23 Westford ave., Stafford Springs, Conn.
Pr. Willard C. Pike, 3 Latham st., Williamstown, Mass.
Pr. John F. Potter, 39 Pleasant st., East Hartford, Conn.
Pr. Leonard W. Wands, 938 Tremont Bldg., Boston, Mass.

Wounded Severely

Lt. Clarence C. Scarborough, Windsor, Conn.
Pr. Jesse S. Ferry, 5 Columbia road, Lexington, Mass.

Died from Aeroplane Accident

Lt. Raymond B. Messer, 63 A st., Lowell, Mass.
Cor. Gordon G. Warren, 7 Elm st., St. Albans, Vt.
Pr. Vincenzo Brandolini, 48 Collis st., New Haven, Conn.
Pr. Raymond M. Dailey, West Derby, Vt.

Died of Disease

Pr. Walter L. Doherty, 110 East Canton st., Boston, Mass.
Pr. Clarence B. Huntley, Rockland, Me.
Pr. Charles B. Kendall, 17 South Arlington st., Cambridge, Mass.

Missing in Action

Pr. Carmine D'Aloi, 50 Lane st., South Norwalk, Conn.
Pr. Frank Sylvia, New Bedford, Mass.

Killed in Action, Previously Reported Died

Pr. Harry Fast, 130 Minor st., New Haven, Conn.

Died from Wounds, Previously Reported Died

Pr. William J. Brailsford, 1057 Eddy st., Providence, R. I.

Missing in Action, Previously Reported Severely Wounded

Pr. Felix Lereau, Warren, Mass.

Wounded (Degree Undetermined), Previously Reported Missing in Action

Pr. Jan. Burse, 21 Spruce st., Worcester, Mass.
Pr. Albert Conti, 57 Anson st., Derby, Conn.
Pr. Arvid L. Kindstedt, 232 Greenwood st., Auburn, R. I.
Pr. Alexander Wirwas, Lynn, Mass.

Sick in Hospital, Previously Reported Missing in Action

Pr. Wesley Burton, 606 Main st., Clinton, Mass.
Pr. Corrado Corradino, 57 Newbury st., Portland, Me.
Pr. Niles F. Cuningham, 71 Broad st., Croton, Conn.
Pr. Jonathan Jacobs, 70 Grand st., New Britain, Conn.

Returned to Duty, Previously Reported Missing in Action

Pr. James R. Butler, 372 Maple ave., Hartford, Conn.
Pr. Joseph E. Butterfield, 78 Beacon ave., Holyoke, Mass.

Wounded Slightly

Pr. Raymond E. Bachelder, 142 Main st., Everett, Mass.
Pr. Camillo Bacon, Maple ave., West Warwick, R. I.
Pr. Seth O. Bailey, 99 Temple st., No. Abington, Mass.
Pr. Fred C. Delaney, 29 Blossom st., Bradford, Mass.
Pr. Charles S. Hubabrd, Orange, Mass.

Wounded (Degree Undetermined)

Mus. Joseph Brigada, 139 Spring st., Thompsonville, Conn.
Pr. Camille Meyer, 131 Beuidon st., Lawrence, Mass.

Wounded Slightly

Lt. Donald B. Adams, 9 Dixwell st., Roxbury, Mass.
Cor. George R. Aplin, 3 Clarendon st., North Andover, Mass.
Cor. Alexander Fisher, Ridlonville, Rumford, Me.
Cor. Paul Schlott, 124 Shawmut ave., Boston, Mass.
Pr. Leo M. Abadalion, 60 Haverhill st., Lawrence, Mass.
Pr. Hollis W. Abbott, Troy, N. H.
Pr. Lewis B. Abbott, St. Johnsbury, Vt.

NORMA COOK, TO WHOM KISS SEEMED SIN, LIED ON TO FREE FATHER

(N.E.A. Special to The Sun)

CHICAGO, Ill., Mar.—The life of J. Norman Cook may hang on the testimony of his pretty daughter, Norma—and a mysterious letter.

Cook is on trial charged with the murder of William E. Bradway, 50, wealthy Chicago clubman.

His defense is that Bradway wrote Norma a letter which caused the father to seek a meeting with him—and an explanation. That Bradway attacked him when they met, and he stabbed Bradway in self-defense.

Norma knew that Bradway had threatened her father, Cook declares, and he relies on her testimony to clear him.

But after Bradway was stabbed to death and Cook had fled Chicago, the girl and her mother told of the strong affection which she had for Bradway and declared that he was like a big brother to her, while she feared her father.

Cook was charged with being extremely and unnecessarily jealous of Bradway, and with having stabbed Bradway to death when he learned that a marriage of his daughter and Bradway was planned.

When Cook was brought into court to face a jury—for he gave himself up for trial after detectives had sought him the country over—there was an affectionate meeting between father and daughter.

It was "daddy!" and "baby!" as she sprang into his arms and kissed him on both cheeks.

Mother was there, too, and so was Norma's grandfather, and each received a dutiful and affectionate kiss, while courtroom habitues craned necks to see.

The contents of the letter which Cook declares led to his meeting with Bradway, he says he will never reveal. He relies on the girl's testimony to make it unnecessary to introduce the letter.

The letters of Norma Cook to Bradway have not been so carefully guarded. They revealed the girl's life secrets in detail when they were published last fall, just after the killing of Bradway.

They told an amazing story of a "first kiss," the kiss of a school mate, and of a secret marriage which the girl later has denied. The story of the marriage she told, because she thought the kiss had been very wrong, she declared.

"I didn't want Billy, my lover, to think evil of me," she said.

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Men and women try to live regardless of health, strength, ambition, energy and hope, they exceed the speed limits, wasting nerve strength and energy and fail to store up reserve force, afterwards they only exist, life has no joys.

Without energy, ambition, strong nerves, and pure blood one cannot hope to enjoy the fullest measure of success and happiness.

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COLORED HEROES WELCOMED HOME WITH CHICKEN DINNER

Chicken, cigarets and chocolate! Oh, boy! No wonder these colored lads thought their homecoming was complete.

They're members of the old Fifteenth infantry (colored,) a famous New York fighting force. The chicken dinner was a part of the city's welcome home, and there was a parade, and other evidences of appreciation, all under the auspices of the mayor's committee of welcome.

APPALLING SITUATION CONFRONTS EUROPE

PARIS, Wednesday, March 12 (By the Associated Press).—"I doubt if America has begun to comprehend the seriousness of the appalling situation which confronts Europe, and the wreck which the whole fabric of civilization may be facing," said Frank A. Vanderlip to the Associated Press today. He has been investigating conditions in England and France and will continue his inquiries in Switzerland and Italy.

"America was once told there might be peace without victory," he said. "What we have is victory without peace. Production has ceased, and unless production can be speedily resumed, one's imagination cannot comprehend the chaos which may ensue.

"The first essential step is fixing the terms of peace. The danger from delay cannot be overestimated."

UNIVERSALISTS IN CONFERENCE HERE

Nearly 150 people were in attendance at the First Universalist church yesterday at the two sessions of the Merrimack valley conference. The morning meeting was addressed by Rev. L. S. McCollester of Tufts college, president of the general convention, while the afternoon speaker was Rev. Vincent T. Tomlinson of Worcester.

Dr. McCollester spoke of the drive which Universalists are making for 1920, and which includes the raising of $1,000,000, for the furtherance of the church work. Also in 1920 it is planned to have a fitting celebration of the landing in this country of John Murray and the following organization of the Universalist church in Massachusetts.

Rev. Mr. Tomlinson's topic in the afternoon was "Why Churches Live, and Why They Die." Luncheon was served at noon, and Haverhill was announced as the next place for the convening of the conference, in April.

HUNDRED DOLLARS' WORTH OF HELP IN ONE DOLLAR'S WORTH OF TOOLS

BY BIDDY BYE

CALL IN THESE KITCHEN EFFICIENCY EXPERTS

"It's the little things that tell"—frinstance these little, inexpensive kitchen tools tell the housewife how to come out of the kitchen a bit earlier in the day.

Spatula	$ .25
Plate scraper	.10
Egg separator	.05
Measuring spoons	.10
Measuring cup	.15
Grapefruit knife	.25
Vegetable brush	.10
Total	$1.00

Madam Housekeeper have you reduced your kitchen equipment to a scientific basis? Do you get full help value out of every pot, pan, dish, knife or other cooking tool in your food work-shop?

If not, this is a good time to clean house, weeding out the non essentials, sorting and organizing, and replacing outworn utensils used every day, and adding to the equipment such pieces as have proved real time and step-savers to numberless housekeepers.

Most kitchens are cluttered with tools seldom or never used—with pots and pans too large for use except on special occasions. These large utensils should be retired to upper shelves or store-room where they will be out of the way and yet ready if needed. Then there is usually a motley collection of chipped enamelware, tins a little rusty or dented, chipped china and earthenware, and assorted pieces not used, but "too good to throw away." All such things should be mercilessly cleared out and sold to the junk man. They are space wasters and dust collectors. The table drawers where forks, knives, spoons, beaters, fancy cutters, etc., are kept will also stand an eliminatin contest. Implements seldom used should be put in a separate box and set out of the way of the daily helpers. A few tools of the proper kind and in good condition should replace all the doubtful or imperfect ones.

It is surprising with how few tools a good housewife can manage, and also surprising at what small cost some of the best kitchen helpers can be purchased.

A spatula, that long, thin-bladed, flexible knife-like tool, is one of the treasures of a good housewife—and can be bought for twenty-five cents. The spatula is the ideal tool for scraping bowls or pans free of dough or barter, to life dough shaped for cookies or doughnuts from board to pan, to life cooked food from pans, and to aid in getting puddings, jellies, etc., out of molds. A dozen other uses will suggest themselves to the cook.

The hater of dish-washing will praise and adore the simple plate-scraper made by inserting a flat piece of hard rubber in a metal holder and giving it a handle. It costs the whole sum of ten cents and is worth its weight in silver in the mussy job of scraping up after a meal. To keep sanitary wash carefully in hot water after using and then harden the rubber in cold water.

At left, spatula; top, plate-scraper; below, egg-separator; measuring spoons, measuring cup, grapefruit knife, vegetable brush.

An egg-separator costs five cents and is worth a dollar when it comes to baking day. Separating the yolks and whites of six eggs is no job at all with this help. Set it over a cup, break the egg over it, and the yolk falls neatly into the center while the white slips through the slits into the cup.

Small aluminum measuring spoons—three on a ring—measure 1-4, 1-2 and 1 teaspoonful. They save the bother of leveling a spoonful and dividing it and provide for exact measurements.

The glass measuring cup is the next convenience. It costs fifteen cents and is worth it in its savings of spoiled dishes by insuring correct measures. A little pitcher spout for pouring the liquids adds to its value.

The grapefruit knife is useful in loosening orange and grapefruit pulp from the skins, in getting the eyes out of potatoes, coring apples, and in many other places where a curved knife-blade is handy.

Perhaps the ten-cent vegetable brush is handiest of all. It is essential in cleaning root vegetables and is an ever-ready friend about the kitchen sink and stove.

BANQUET AT ARMORY

Company C of the Massachusetts state guard, with a number of invited guests, enjoyed a banquet last evening at the armory, and those attending were unanimous in voting the affair one of the most successful ever conducted by the organization. Several speakers entertained at the close of the repast, among them Lieut. White of the Canadian flying corps, who gave an interesting recital of his experience overseas. Capt. Jeyes also spoke briefly on military matters of the day, and the final speaker was Capt. Jones, a well known state guard man.

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BROWN LEATHER SUITCASE lost week of March 3d, between 267 Middlesex st. and 8 Western ave. Reward at 267 Middlesex st.

BICYCLE inscribed Black Beauty stolen from basement of postoffice. Finder please return to postoffice or 16 Carter ave. and receive reward.

AIREDALE, black and tan with little gray over head; wore new collar, without name, lost. Finder please return to No. 1 Autumn st., and receive reward.

BUNCH OF KEYS lost Wednesday on Central, Merrimack or Bridge sts. Finder return to F. S., The Sun office. Reward.

WHITE SPITZ DOG lost Wednesday on Bridge st. near Pelham. Tel. 2-14, Pelham. E. A. Gilbert. Reward.

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DANDY 5-ROOM COTTAGE AND garage for sale; near car line; excellent repair; easy terms. Price, $1400. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

CENTRALVILLE BARGAIN—6-room cottage for sale; bath, hot and cold water, open plumbing. Price, $2100. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

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FURNISHED ROOM to let. 94 Butterfield st.

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LARGE OAK DINING TABLE with chairs, Morris chair, large wicker chair, complete white chamber set, couch, Smith Premier typewriter with table and chair, etc., for sale at Dow's, 126 Smith st. Tel. 2278.

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5.20	6.47	2.45	3.37
6.23	7.26	6.00	7.12
6.45	7.38	7.35	8.28
b6.30	7.53	n8.21	9.37
6.57	8.36	9.00	9.41
7.22	9.10	9.30	10.11
7.58	8.37	12.30	1.14
9.01	9.12	11.05	1.58
9.50	10.55	2.15	3.15
11.13	11.56	2.50	3.43
12.15	1.06	4.00	4.41
1.47	2.35	4.05	5.27
2.45	3.41	5.00	5.44
h3.30	4.12	b5.21	6.37
4.14	5.06	5.35	6.36
6.17	5.26	b6.48	7.10
5.39	6.40	6.14	7.23
b6.02	7.25	8.00	8.43
7.38	8.24	8.30	9.13
9.00	9.45	10.30	11.16
9.45	10.31	11.30	12.51

Portland Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
6.33	7.36	z6.35	8.21
10.55	12.03	10.45	11.53
5.31pm	6.45	3.25	4.40
7.12	8.25	5.14	6.13
9.50	11.01	6.55	8.20
		9.50	11.18

Sunday Trains Portland Division

12.07	1.30	3.29	4.42
3.40	4.46	5.10	6.43
6.41	7.10	8.45	9.50
8.35	10.05		

Sunday Trains Southern Division

6.45	7.30	8.46	9.53
7.22	8.10	9.30	10.11
8.25	9.35	1.00	2.08
9.19	10.14	6.30	6.28
10.30	11.17	7.05	7.30
2.15	3.35	8.00	8.13
5.14	6.00	8.50	9.13
8.20	9.05	9.25	10.35
8.50	10.00	10.35	11.44
9.45	10.40		

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RESTRICT IMMIGRATION INTO PALESTINE

NEW YORK, March 13.—Restriction of immigration into Palestine to 50,000 a year during the first period of development of the new Jewish commonwealth set up under British trusteeship, has been decided upon by the inter-allied Zionist conference in London, according to cable advices to the Zionist organization of America, made public here today.

Clearing houses for this immigration, it was stated, would be established in London and a neutral country.

The conference adopted the suggestion of Bernard A. Rosenblatt, one of the 20 American delegates, that land speculation in the new state be prevented by confiscation through taxation of the unearned increment on real estate resulting from the British occupation. Assessments, it was stated, would be based on valuations prevailing in August, 1914, so that the community, Jew and Gentile alike, rather than the landlords, would receive the benefits growing out of increased values.

KILL SUNDAY BASEBALL

CONCORD, N. H., March 13.—The state senate today, 12 to 10, killed a bill designed to liberalize the Sunday laws by permitting the playing of base ball, golf and other games, under proper conditions. The house ordered to a third reading a bill upon which the senate has yet to act, to equalize educational opportunities by state aid for the schools of the smaller towns. Also sent to a third reading by the house was a bill providing a 48-hour work week for women and minors under 18, when adopted by all the New England states and two-thirds of the states of the Union. Employes of hotels, restaurants and laundries would be excepted from the provisions of the law.

Professor Says: "Internal Baths Give Best Results"

Horace T. Dodge, M.D., Professor of Materia Medica, 25 Jacobson Bldg., Denver, writes Tyrrell's Hygienic Institute of New York as follows:

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To Curb Seditious Utterances

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 13.—Mayor Gainer after a conference with the police commissioners today, announced that means of curbing seditious or inflammatory utterances has been decided upon and that the police executives will shortly announce its policy. The meeting today followed conferences between the mayor and United States District Attorney Harvey A. Baker.

Rioters Attack Newark Cars

NEWARK, N. J., March 13.—Shortly after officials of the Public Service Railway corporation had announced, this afternoon, that the controversy involving its striking employes would be submitted to the War Labor board in Washington tomorrow, rioting broke out here. A crowd of strikers and sympathizers stormed two trolley cars, attacking the crew and smashing windows. Two men were removed to a hospital. Two strikers and a sympathizer, a soldier in uniform, were arrested.

IT'S NOT YOUR HEART IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Kidney disease is no respecter of persons. A majority of the ills afflicting people today can be traced back to the kidney trouble.

The kidneys are the most important organs of the body. They are the filterers of your blood. If the poisons which are swept from the tissues by the blood are not eliminated through the kidneys, disease of one form or another will claim you as a victim.

Kidney disease is usually indicated by weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, despondency, backache, stomach trouble, pains in loins and lower abdomen, gall stones, gravel, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago.

All these derangements are nature's signals that the kidneys need help. You should use GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. The soothing, healing oil stimulates the kidneys, relieves inflammation and destroys the germs which have caused it. Go to your druggist today and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. In twenty-four hours you should feel health and vigor returning.

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OPPOSES GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP OF ROADS

BOSTON, March.—Opposition to government ownership or operation of the railroads was expressed by President Daniel Willard of the Baltimore & Ohio and formerly a member of the National Railroad administration, before the chamber of commerce today. Mr. Willard outlined his idea of proper legislation as follows:

"A practicable solution, I believe, will be had if congress as a minimum program will (a) provide a definite workable rule for rate making by fixing an adequate percentage ratio of railway operating income to the combined property investment account of the railroads as a whole, (b) authorize the railroads to combine their properties and operations, subject to governmental approval, when shown to be in the public interest (c) authorize the carriers to issue securities for construction, equipment, enlargement of their properties and for the refunding of obligations, subject to exclusive control of the federal commission, and (d) will enlarge and expand the powers of the interstate commerce commission, so that it can deal more promptly with matters requiring its determination."

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HEALTH TALK

The stomach and bowels are one continuous piece of human machinery—the largest in the body—and do the most work.

And if you keep your stomach and bowels in fit condition the chances are that nature will rid you of most forms of sickness.

Take advice—look well after the stomach and bowels!

You must have regular movements and be sure to keep out worms like Stomach worms and Pin worms.

Dr. True's Elixir is known as "The Family Laxative and Worm Expeller." It tones up the stomach, restores normal bowel action and throws out these parasites or worms.

Remember the name, Dr. True's Elixir. Ask grandma—she knows about Dr. True's Elixir. Adults and children should use it. Start using Dr. True's Elixir today.—Adv.

WIRED "FISHPLATES" TO B. & M. TRACKS

LEOMINSTER, March 13.—Charles Robbins, aged 17, and George Robbins, 15, brothers, were arrested here this afternoon, charged with wiring about a dozen "fishplates" to rails of the east and west bound tracks of the Boston & Maine railroad, about three-fourths of a mile east of the North Leominster station. The plates were discovered by a track walker. The boys told the police they wished to see the train flatten the plates.

NEGOTIATIONS AT END

Break Between German Delegates and Inter-Allied Mission to Poland

PARIS, March 13.—The negotiations at Posen, between the German delegates and members of the inter-allied mission to Poland over the Polish frontier situation, have been broken off by the German delegates according to the Berlin Taeglische Rundschau, as quoted in a despatch to the Journal from Zurich. The Germans have already left Posen "as a protest against their treatment by the allies," the newspaper reports.

RIGHTS OF WOMEN

War Labor Board Hears Arguments in Favor of Women Conductors

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The right of Cleveland's women street car employes to their jobs, in spite of male opposition, was taken up today by the war labor board. To end a strike the board some time ago recommended that the women be discharged.

Frank P. Walsh, formerly joint chairman of the board, as counsel, appeared for the women. Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, honorary president of the American Woman Suffrage association, was called as a witness.

Mr. Walsh argued that a woman's right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness was dependent on her right of equality in industry with men.

Dr. Shaw said: "A woman has as much right to any job as a man has. The only question is capability. I have noticed, by the way, that men never object to the kind of work women undertake, unless the pay is sufficient to make the same jobs tempting to them."

Miss Mary Van Kleeck, director of the women-in-industry service of the labor department, said: "A favorable decision on this case will give women freedom to contribute their best energies to the industries of the nation in peace as they have done in war."

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FRELINGHUYSEN DECLINES DEBATE

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Senator Frelinghuysen of New Jersey, Republican, made public today a letter written to Everett Colby of West Orange, N. J., asking information regarding features of the League of Nations constitution which Mr. Frelinghuysen said, he had been unable to obtain from President Wilson or Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, retiring chairman of the senate foreign relations committee.

A series of questions on the effect and interpretation of the league charter was presented to Mr. Colby by the New Jersey senator, asking whether the league as now proposed would interfere with existing secret treaties among European powers, whether the United States would be outvoted, whether it would require submission of domestic questions, whether it would require the United States to use its military forces in maintaining territorial claims of any foreign nation, and whether it would prohibit withdrawal of the United States from the compact without unanimous consent.

Senator Frelinghuysen submitted the questionnaire in response to an invitation from Mr. Colby for a debate, which the senator said he was unable to accept.

British Importations

Continued

expectation of doing business as in immediately after the close of the struggle.

The process of obtaining import licenses is that each prospective importer must present his case to the board of trade and to the controller of imports. Each case is dealt with on its merits, as the controller judges it from the importer's standpoint, and the board of trade's first consideration is whether the goods in question can be obtained from English firms. If they can, the license is refused. If the importer makes out a particularly strong case for special consideration, he will be permitted to ship limited quantities.

Conspicuous among the American products which find themselves against what virtually amounts to a stonewall, are motors, boots and typewriters. The last named cost from $200 to $300 in England today.

It is said a great British company which has hitherto devoted its plant to the manufacture of implements of war is transforming its works into factories for the manufacture of typewriting machines. Sir Donald MacLean, liberal leader, asked of the house of commons on Monday whether the government had not given guarantees to the soapmaking industry. France is concerned with that question, because Marseilles has hitherto been the world's most important base for soap products and it is reported that an English interest has planned big works here.

The self-governing dominions of Great Britain are exempt from the difficulties of the government's policy imposed on foreign merchants.

The Associated Press attempts merely to describe the situation because it is a subject of greatest interest to business men everywhere and a source of controversy between different schools of British economists. It is looked upon as the beginning of an important chapter in the after-the-war economic adjustment. The arguments of the free traders have been roughly summarized by the Morning Post, which is the strongest protectionist paper in Great Britain. It also points out the possible weakness of the temporary licensing measure, saying:

"We believe the licensing system is a vicious system. It leads to favoritism and corruption and leaves too much discretion in the hands of officials. At the beginning of the war, if the government had been honest, it would have accepted the logic of the situation and imposed a tariff but sooner or later a tariff must come."

Yes, Cold All Gone—Not A Bit of Cough Left

Feel great this morning. As soon as I felt it coming on yesterday I used Gray's Syrup and nipped it in the bud. Just couldn't miss an hour at the office, we are so busy and short-handed. Gray's Syrup is a habit in our family, the folks have used it for sixty years.

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A WOMAN'S TESTIMONY

Mrs. Ettie Warren, a farmer's wife of Emmittsburg, Md., openly declares how she has found health through reading a newspaper advertisement of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. So great is her relief after fifteen years of suffering that she asks to have this information published.

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Radicals Defeated in Berlin Battle

COUNT TISZA STARTED WAR

Behind Plot To Assassinate Archduke and His Wife at Sarajevo

Former Hungarian Premier, Who Was Later Murdered, Accused by Priest

BERNE, Wednesday, March 12.—Charges that the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand and his wife, the Duchess of Hohenberg, at Sarajevo, on June 28, 1914, was the result of a deliberate plot led by the late Count Tisza, formerly Hungarian premier, are made in a pamphlet written by a priest who was the spiritual adviser of the duchess, according to a Vienna despatch to the Frankfort Gazette. The pamphlet, entitled "The Sarajevo murder and Count Tisza's responsibility for the world war," is said to have made a profound impression in Austria.

It is declared that Francis Ferdinand repeatedly refused to go to Sarajevo and that it was only an appeal to his courage that induced him to make the trip.

"The most elementary precautions were omitted," it is stated by the priest. "He was simply led into a trap prepared by the court at Vienna and by the Hungarian aristocracy, headed by Count Tisza."

The general idea of the pamphlet is that Magyar magnates with the consent of the Vienna court, wished to get rid of the archduke, who was extremely disliked and obtain vengeance for the murder at the expense of the Jugo-Slavs, who would be made helpless. It is pointed out that no "proper inquiry was ever made into the tragedy and that no one was made responsible for the fact that precautionary measures were not taken."

Count Stephen Tisza was assassinated at Budapest on Nov. 1, 1918.

After the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand, it was Count Tisza who took the initiative against Serbia. It is said that the ultimatum sent to Serbia on July 23, 1914, was largely his work. He is reported to have communicated in the meantime with the German foreign office, with the result that a conclave of Emperor William's military family at Potsdam, early in June, 1914, made plans for immediate war.

TO EXPLAIN WHY PRES. WILSON CALLED FOR HIS RESIGNATION

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Charles M. Galloway, member of the civil service commission, whose resignation has been called for by President Wilson, announced today that he would resign within a few days.

"At the proper time," he added, "I shall probably make a statement of the real reasons for the request for my resignation."

The appointment of a successor to Mr. Galloway, has been withheld at the White House pending receipt of his resignation. Successors were appointed yesterday to the other two members of the commission, Hermon W. Craven, whose resignation also was requested, and to John A. McIlhenny, who resigned several weeks ago.

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GERMAN PRESS STIRRED

Over Reports That Peace Treaty Will Provide That Poland Shall Have Danzig

BERLIN, Wednesday, March 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Reports from Paris that the peace treaty will provide that Poland shall have Danzig and that a buffer state shall be formed along the Rhine, have stirred up the German press, both conservative and radical.

"It is to be hoped there is nobody in Germany who would suffer such a treaty to be signed," says the Tageblatt.

DISCUSSED HEATING

Commissioner Marchand of the public property department called in a number of the leading heating men of the city yesterday to discuss the heating of the new portable school which is soon to be opened adjacent to the Washington school. Various plans were discussed, and it is probable that the school will be in full operation next week.

GERMANY WANTED WAR

Evidence Shows She Backed Ausrtia in Attitude Toward Serbia

PARIS, Wednesday, March 12.—Two despatches sent in cipher by Count von Szogyeny-Marich, Austrian ambassador at Berlin before the war, to the Austro-Hungarian foreign ministry, showing that Germany was backing Austria in her war-like attitude toward Serbia, have been made public by M. T. Vesnitch, Serbian minister to France. As printed in the Journal Des Debats the message read:

"Berlin, July 25, 1914—It is generally supposed here that a negative reply from Serbia will be followed on our part by an immediate declaration of war and military operations. Any adjournment of military operations would be considered here as very dangerous on account of intervention by other powers. We are counselled with the greatest insistence to pass immediately to action and thus put the world in face of an accomplished fact."

The second despatch marked "Strictly secret," says:

"Berlin, July 27, 1914—The secretary of state has just declared to me positively but under the seal of most strict secrecy, that very soon eventual propositions of mediation from England will be brought to the knowledge of your excellency. The German government assures me in the most convincing manner that it in no way identifies itself with these propositions, that it is absolutely against their being taken into consideration and that it will only transmit them to us to give effect to the English request."

Minister Vesnitch then quotes the message sent on July 30, 1914, from Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign minister, to Ambassador Goschen, at Berlin, offering, if the crisis passed, to take the initiative in an arrangement satisfactory to Germany. The minister says that neither Sir Edward Grey, Foreign Minister Sazonoff, of Russia, nor Premier Viviani of France then knew positively that Germany wanted war. The minister concludes:

"If anyone is incredulous let him meditate upon the foregoing documents."

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

NEW YORK, March 13.—Mrs. George W. Wightman and Miss Marion Zinderstein, both of Boston, won their places in the final round of the women's national indoor tennis championship singles at the Seventh Regiment armory today.

A certain young man of careful habits in dress recently told us that the reason he always wears

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is that they not only represent his ideas of style better than any other hats, but that he receives better service because they retain their "newness" longer.

Only fine materials can be relied upon to make a hat appear new after considerable wear, and if style also is present the result is most gratifying, and "Mallery Hats" always gratify. Even the maker's guaranty is a source of gratification, and the new Spring shades are another.

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POLICE COURT NEWS

Young Men Arrested by Sheriff. Martin Conway Held For Grand Jury

"But I didn't steal the money," protested Romeo Bernaby in police court this morning when he was charged, in company with Thomas Reilly, another young man, with breaking and entering the Yorick club on Dutton street early last Sunday morning and stealing $100 in cash. "Yes, I admit that I opened the cash register and took out a big roll of bills, but when the watchman came upstairs and caught me I put the money back." After hearing the evidence against the pair Judge Enright found probable cause to believe them guilty and they were held in the sum of $1000 each for the grand jury.

Both young men were formerly employed at the club, Bernaby having been discharged a few days ago as the result of the manager's suspicions in the matter of several packages of cigarets and some cigars which mysteriously disappeared. About 1.30 Sunday morning they dropped around to the club and forced an entrance by a rear door by picking the lock.

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ATTEMPT TO SINK NEW YORK BOATS

NEW YORK, March 13.—Police protection for employes of the New York Towboat Exchange was asked today by Gerald H. Kellar, its manager.

The complaint is said to be based on a threat of strike sympathizers to drop a tow line in the propeller of a tug and assault the crew. Paul Bonynge, counsel for the private boat-owners, stated that an attempt had been made a few days ago to sink two boats by opening their seacocks.

TRAINS KNOCKED OVER EMBANKMENT

NEWCASTLE, Pa., March 13.—Six persons were injured seriously when the locomotive, the baggage car and one coach of a Pittsburg & Lake Erie passenger train were knocked over an embankment into the Shenango river by a shifting engine half a mile south of here today. The engine, backing out of a steel plant, crashed into the train. Firemen used ladders and axes in rescuing passengers from the cars which fell in about five feet of water.

BIG BOXING BOUT MAY GO TO PARIS

PARIS, March 13.—Sporting circles here are keenly aroused over reports that Jack Dempsey-Jess Willard fight may be held in Paris. Promoters here have watched with great interest, the difficulties encountered by Tex Rickard in America and argue that Paris with its big floating American and British population, would be a better place than either Juarez or Havana, if the bout goes outside America. Higher prices would be obtained for seats than before the war.

Bad Stomach—Nearly Starved To Death

Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Both Eat Anything They Want Now

"I have had stomach trouble and constipation for three years. I could not eat anything and almost starved to death. After I began to take Milks Emulsion I began to eat anything I wanted. I feel like a new woman and am doing my own work again.

"My husband also was badly afflicted with stomach trouble and for a long time lived on soup and light diet. Eight bottles of Milks Emulsion cured him sound and well and he can eat as much solid food as he likes."—Mrs. George Hampton, 503 North 12th St., Charleston, Ill.

Thousands of people have used Milks Emulsion with the same result that Mrs. Hampton describes. It costs nothing to try—it is guaranteed.

Milks Emulsion is a pleasant, nutritive food and a corrective medicine. It restores healthy, natural bowel action, doing away with all need of pills and physics. It promotes appetite and quickly puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food. As a builder of flesh and strength, Milks Emulsion is strongly recommended to run-down nervous people, and it has produced amazing results in many cases of tuberculosis of the lungs. Chronic stomach trouble and constipation are promptly relieved—usually in one day.

This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is eaten with a spon like ice cream. A truly wonderful medicine for weak, sickly children.

No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milks Emulsion under this guarantee—Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions and if not satisfied with the results, your money will be promptly refunded. Price 60c and $1.20 per bottle. The Milks Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind. Sold and guaranteed by Fred Howard.—Adv.

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URGES FREEDOM FOR IRELAND

Situation Extremely Bad—Need of Self Government More Urgent Than Ever

Dangerous Situation Can Only Be Handled by Irish Parliament

LONDON, March 13.—Prominence is given by the Mail to a Dublin despatch representing the situation in Ireland as extremely bad and maintaining that the need of effective self-government is more urgent than ever before.

"Now that the Sinn Fein members of the house of commons have been released," the despatch says, "there will be a new assembly of the Irish parliament which will probably be a very troublous affair without an authoritative administration to balance its activities. Labor troubles of greatest import are growing and it is impossible for the British government to handle them. There is barely a section of Irish labor which is not preparing or threatening to strike for demands which no employers can possibly grant. The well-intentioned schemes of General Viscount French, lord lieutenant, for social and industrial improvement, have gone by the board, and there is a dangerous situation which can be handled only by an Irish parliament."

NO REDUCTION IN PRICE OF COAL

There is plenty of coal in Lowell at present, but the coal dealers hold out no hopes in regard to lower prices this season. In fact, they would not be at all surprised to see an upward revision in the price scale in the near future.

Just now, the dealers say, there is plenty of coal in the city; too much coal, it may be said, because it is coal that was purchased at high prices in order to ensure enough coal to carry Lowell through the winter. And, "there's the rub."

Another reason for the increase in coal, according to the local dealers, is that men have returned to the mines to work since the armistice was signed. More coal than ever before it being mined, and the miners are working only three days a week. The government is not demanding it for shipping or cantonments. At Camp Devens alone enough coal is piled up to last for two years. The estimate is 20,000 tons. Other cantonments too, are all full. There is, therefore, no call from that quarter.

There is plenty of coal piled up at the mines, and in spite of reduced hours of the miners, the black diamonds are being mined more rapidly than they can be used. This necessitates getting it away from the mines, and results in the situation today, when almost any dealer has but to ask and he gets all the coal he requires.

The Sun man was allowed to read one or two letters, or rather they were read to him. One of them was soliciting the dealer to buy, which is something unknown for a long time. The only drawback to coal in Lowell is the price—$12 or more a ton, plus the cost of carrying it up or down stairs, as the case may be.

As to the price, the dealers all agree that there is no prospect of any reduction on April 1, as has in former years been the case. The indications are that the present price will be increased 10 cents per ton per month for the next five months. The dealers say that this is due entirely to the high wages of the miners, and there is no prospect of them being any lower for a long time to come.

STORE ENTERED BUT NOTHING MISSING

The liquor establishment of Edward Gallagher at 165 Chelmsford street was broken into early Sunday morning, but so far the proprietor has been unable to find anything missing. It is believed that the burglar was frightened away before he had time to do anything, by a neighbor, who after hearing noise in the store went outside and looked through one of the windows of the shop.

Henry Wollman, a barber, who resides at 165 Chelmsford street, just over the Gallagher store, heard a strange noise at about 3.30 o'clock Sunday morning and went out to investigate. Upon reaching the sidewalk he saw that the large plate glass on the Chelmsford street side of the Gallagher store had been broken and looking inside he saw a man near the cash register. Mr. Wollman claims that at that very moment a shot was fired and he quickly got under cover. Another neighbor also claims that she heard the report of the shot, but no trace of a bullet could be found in or outside the store. Be that as it may, however, the thief made his escape and the following day when Mr. Gallagher looked over his stock he could not find anything missing, and the cash register was untouched. The police were notified of the break and Sergt. McClougnrey was sent out on the case.

Caruso's Income Tax $153,933.70

NEW YORK, March 13.—Enrico Caruso will pay an income tax of $153,933.70 for 1918. He visited the collector's office yesterday and presented a check for $38,483.42, one-fourth of the total amount.

Voters To Pass On Two Platoon System

BOSTON, March 13.—The legislative committee on cities voted today to report favorably a bill to permit voters to pass upon the question of adopting the two platoon system for municipal fire departments, the plan to become effective upon its adoption by a majority of the voters of any city or town.

Calamity To Recall Allies From Siberia

TORONTO, Ont., March 13.—Captain W. E. Dunham of the Y.M.C.A., who returned today from service with the Canadians under Brigadier General Emsley at Vladivostok, said that "to withdraw the allied forces from Siberia would be little less than a calamity." He is the first Canadian to return from Siberia.

"Since their arrival," he added, "there is now comparative order instead of complete chaos, and life, property and travel are safe. Siberia is as well governed as any place I know of in this way."

He said that Bolshevism was rife in Siberia, but could not get in its deadly work owing to the presence of the allies.

Girl Auto Bandit Sentenced

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—Twenty-year-old Florence Duke, motor bandit and stool pigeon for highwaymen, was sentenced today to 12 years' imprisonment for stealing automobiles. She refused an offer of clemency extended by the judge provided she would reveal the names of her accomplices.

It was testified that she had confessed to stealing between 25 and 30 motor cars, many of which were traced to South Jersey towns. On one occasion she drove a car and piloted four highwaymen to a big truck and assisted in the holdup of the truck driver.

When but 15 she eloped from her Lawrence, Mass., home with a youth who is now serving a 10 years' sentence in this state.

34 Reservists Landed From Toloa

HALIFAX, N. S., March 13.—Thirty-four British reservists whose homes are in the United States, landed today from the transport Toloa, the captain of which reported yesterday that 300 British soldiers had threatened to sink the ship unless they were put ashore and given transportation to their homes. The men who came off the transport this morning, left immediately for their homes in Massachusetts and New York.

The Tolon later proceeded for New York with the other British reservists, who were enlisted in the United States.

G.O.P. "Listening Post" at Chicago

CHICAGO, March 13.—Will Hays, chairman of the Republican National committee, was here today to establish a "listening post" with the purpose of observing the political sentiment of the nation. Conferences of the party leaders will be held daily for the next few days, and before his departure he will select a man to take charge of the Chicago headquarters.

Man and Five Children Perished

FRANKLIN, Me., March 13.—Emery Colson, aged about 52, and five of his six children were burned to death today, at East Franklin. Colson's farm buildings and those of John Walton, his father-in-law, which adjoined, were burned. The children ranged in age from two weeks to 14 years.

BRITISH IMPORTATIONS

Free Trades Papers Sharply Criticize the Government's Policy

LONDON, March 13.—Free trades newspapers are sharply criticizing the government's policy regarding importations, as disclosed by Sir Auckland E. Geddes, minister for national service and reconstruction, in the house of commons on Monday. He said that all importations of manufactured or semi-manufactured commodities which permitted to enter Great Britain would be controlled by a system of special licenses until September 1, when the question would be reviewed. The newspapers denounce this proposal as an attempt to introduce protection without any mandate from the voters, insist that a great majority of the voters are opposed to a protective system, and declare that England is still a free trade country at heart. They say that Great Britain gained her commerce and financial supremacy through free trade and can hold it only by free trade.

One point on which newspapers of all shades and views on the tariff are agreed is that after British manufacturers and merchants have enjoyed the sort of protection afforded them by the license system, the vested interests will have been uplifted or at least fostered, which will make it difficult to revert to a free trade basis."

From the viewpoint of importers, the license system handicaps them with all the disadvantages of a protective tariff without its stabilizing virtue of certainty.

The government is able to present strong reasons for special measures. British industries have been torn to pieces by the war.

England is swarming with American business men who came over fully expecting to re-establish their old connections as soon as the vital factor of tonnage permitted. They realized that while the war was being waged, the allied governments had the first call on shipping, regardless of private interests. They have the tonnage now, but find that official barriers have been erected against their using it.

Some think they have a grievance. They kept up their British establishments at a loss during the war on teh

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ASK FOR
SWAN-RUSSELL HATS
WORN BY WELL-DRESSED MEN

NAMED COMMANDANT OF BOSTON NAVY YARD

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Rear Admiral Samuel S. Robinson, who has been serving on the inter-allied naval armistice commission, was detailed today as commandant of the Boston navy yard.

ALLIES TO DIVIDE MONEY MADE BY SALE OF GERMAN SUBMARINES

LONDON, March 13 (via Montreal).—More German submarines will be sold and the money distributed among the allies on a scale to be adopted by the supreme council, it was announced in the house of commons today by T. J. MacNamara, parliamentary secretary to the admiralty. He stated that already 54 had been sold.

The supreme council, the parliamentary secretary added, had not decided what should be done with the other German warships.

30000 TROOPSHIPS ARRIVE

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., March 13.—The transports Aeolus and Zeelandia and the battleship Ohio arrived today from France with 3867 soldiers.

RADICALS ARE MOWED DOWN

Government Troops Rout Spartacans—Use Artillery and Mine Throwers

Large Number Captured—Many Executed—Arms and Ammunition Taken

BERLIN, Wednesday, March 12. (By the Associated Press.)—Spartacan forces under pressure from government troops using artillery and mine throwers, were abandoning their posi-

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MAIL YOUR INCOME TAX CHECKS

Despite the herculean efforts of Collector John F. Malley and his associates to accommodate the federal income tax payers, his efforts are being seriously hindered by those who are jamming their way into the offices simply to file non-taxable returns or personally to hand in their completed returns with their checks. These should be mailed to the federal income tax office in Boston.

All this week the deputies at the local postoffice have been besieged by crowds that make it almost impossible to serve with satisfaction. The deputies found that many simply wanted to file their returns in person. Others thought their returns should not be trusted to the mails and demanded the special attention of the deputy, in many instances where it was entirely unnecessary. The troubles of all ea who made lighted by using the mails in forwarding complete returns.

The cancelled check is sufficient receipt for the payment of the tax, and through an edict issued today by Collector Malley, and approved by the treasury officials at Washington, taxpayers may mail their returns with check or bank draft enclosed, up to midnight Saturday. If the post mark shows that the tentative or regular return was in the mail at 12 midnight Saturday, the taxpayer is exempt from all penalties.

NEW BOILER IS BIG COAL SAVER

According to the engineer and fireman employed in the basement of city hall, the large tubular boiler which was installed late last fall in the municipal building is burning only half the coal that was burnt last winter by the three old boilers and is giving general satisfaction all around. Two of the new boilers were installed, but only one is being used and the other employed only during extremely cold weather. Where it was necessary to keep three boilers going all the time last winter, only one is giving out heat this year.

OPPOSES LEAGUE OF NATIONS

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The state department was advised today that Alejandro Alvarez, legal adviser to the Chilean department of foreign affairs, had published a statement to the effect that the League of Nations would be unfavorable to Chilean interests.

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The Spring Medicine
Purifies the Blood
Creates an Appetite
and Makes the Weak Strong

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Special dinner and supper every day. Change menu daily. Music every eve.

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SATURDAY NIGHT—BOSTON JAZZ ORCHESTRA—ADM. FREE
MONDAY NIGHT—MINER-DOYLE'S ORCH. and HONEY BOYS

Dancing
Tomorrow Night
Associate Hall
Miner-Doyle's Orchestra
Tickets, 35c, Including Tax

The Slender Silhouette is Easily Achieved With Our Line of Corsets.

CORSETS

Discerning women will stop at this extensive display first for the modishness of her Easter apparel depends almost entirely on the good lines of her corsets. There are models here for every type and all are moderately priced.

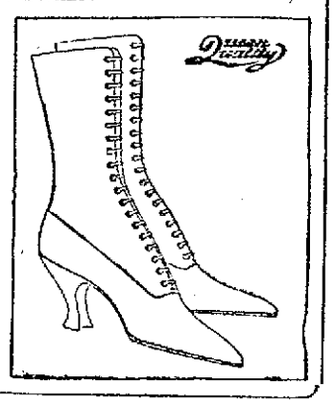
In our stock will be found Nemo, P. N., La Resista, W. B., Lilly of France, Bien Jolie, Deering, Lady Ruth, R. & G., Thompson Glove-fitting Corsets in the most wanted models.

LOWEST PRICES ALWAYS CONSISTENT WITH RELIABILITY

The Bon Marché
DRY GOODS CO.

Queen Quality Shoes
FOR WOMEN

This is to be a season for colors, and we are fully prepared to help you solve the problem. Grays and browns will predominate. High cut, lace, French heels and narrow toes for dress wear. Military patterns with lower heels for more common use. Low shoe season will soon be here, and they are coming in. You will be delighted with the many dainty patterns. The prices are lower than we expected.



NOTHING BUT FIRST QUALITY MERCHANDISE SOLD HERE

SMART SPRING STYLES
Every Woman Who Loves Smart Styles Will Be Able to Find Something to Enthuse One This Season

DOLMANS AND CAPES

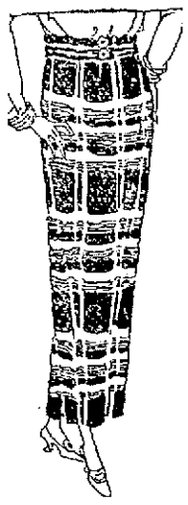
Nothing for years has had the stylish appearance for the smart women to wear over afternoon dresses as these beautiful Dolmans and Capes, a good assortment at

$25, $29.50, $39.50, $45, $49.50, $55, $59.50, $65

PLAID SKIRTS

Stylish Sport Skirts in all the latest New York styles, new novelties, new silk, new wool plaids. Priced

$9.95, $10.95, $12.95, $14.95, $16.95, $19.95, $25



The Suits Are the Smartest

In the new tailor made. Box Suits trimmed with braid and Blouse Suits and the Dolmans and Capes are stunning. You should see them.

SUITS FOR FASHIONABLE WOMEN

Our new Tailored Navy Suits are making a hit

NEW STYLES EVERY DAY

And they are smart Tricotine, Poiret Twill, Mannish Serge,

$25, $35, $39.50, $45, $49.50, $55 to $98.50

NEW SPRING BLOUSES

Our showing of Stunning New Silk Blouses is today the best in our history. Beautiful Georgettes, new Crepe de Chines, French Voiles and Organdies. Over 2000 Silk Waists to select from. We are prepared for a wonderful business, and the styles and materials are wonderful.

$2.98, $3.98, $4.98, $5.98, $6.98 to $25.00

MILLINERY SPECIALS
FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Sample line of Untrimmed Hats, all this season's goods, including hats of fine lisere straw, real milan, banded pineapple sailors, some with fine straw brim and rough crowns. Mostly hand blocked hats, black, navy, henna, taupe, sand and white. Every hat desirable and should retail from $5.00 to $9.00 each. Friday and Saturday..... **$3.75**

Remember, Only a Limited Quantity for Lucky Purchasers

NEW READY-TO-WEAR AND TRIMMED HATS ARRIVE ALMOST DAILY—ALWAYS SOMETHING NEW

CHILDREN'S NEW SPRING DRESSES

New Plaids, New Stripes, New Chambrays and Real Anderson Ginghams. Smart little high waisted styles.

$1.49, $1.98, $2.49, $2.98, $3.98 $4.98 to $12.98

SPECIAL SHOWING of EXCLUSIVE HIGH CLASS PLAIDS

Every indication points to the fact that plaids are going to be the high class novelty for this season. We are prepared with the finest and choicest and most extensive line of exclusive plaids of any store north of oston. We invite every woman in this city to come and examine these handsome plaids and note the beautiful combinations of colorings. Whether you wish to purchase or not we will be pleased to show you. Prices range from **$1.29 to $6.49 Yd.**

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

A DOUBLE PURPOSE SALE OF WALL PAPER

To clean up all remnants, to reduce all patterns overstocked. Thousands of desirable wall papers that must be moved. They are tied in bundles containing from 6 to 20 rolls with and without border, marked at

ONE HALF PRICE

This is a splendid chance for property owners and others to secure desirable papers at bargain prices.

THREE BIG SPECIALS IN SUMMER UNDERWEAR - - - - - - - - FOR FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY

WE ARE SHOWING A COMPLETE LINE OF BODICE AND SLEEVELESS VESTS, ALSO BLOOMERS, IN FLESH COLOR WHICH ARE VERY MUCH IN DEMAND AT POPULAR PRICES

WOMEN'S SILK LISLE UNION SUITS

Fine quality, reinforced French band, no sleeves and tight knee. Regular price $1.75 and $2.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday..... **$1.25**

WOMEN'S COTTON UNION SUITS

Fine ribbed, sleeveless, shell or tight knee, regular and outsizes. Regular price $1.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday **75c**

WOMEN'S SWISS RIBBED VESTS

Fine quality ribbed cotton, lisle finish, French band, no sleeves. Regular price 59c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **39c**

UNEXAMPLED VALUES—An Important Sale of HOSIERY for Men, Women and Children

COMPRISING SEVERAL THOUSAND PAIRS OF HOSE OF UNUSUAL FINE QUALITIES, ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE PURCHASE OF WHICH WERE COMPLETED SOME MONTHS AGO UNDER RARELY ADVANTAGEOUS CONDITIONS WHICH FACT ALONE MAKES IT POSSIBLE TO PLACE THEM ON SALE AT UNPRECEDENTLY LOW PRICES

CHILDREN'S SILK LISLE HOSE—Extra good quality, made with 4-thread, heel and toe. Colors are black, white, medium and dark brown. Sizes 6 to 9 1-2. Regular price 50c to 75c. Sale price, **39¢, 3 for $1.00**

BOYS' HEAVY WEIGHT RIBBED HOSE—Made with 4-thread heel and toe. Sizes 6 to 10. Regular price 39c pair. Sale price ..... **29¢ Pair**

INFANTS' FINE WHITE SILK LISLE HOSE—All sizes. Regular price 50c. Sale price, **35, 3 Pairs for $1.00**

WOMEN'S COTTON HOSE—Medium weight, full fashioned, double soles and high spliced heels. Regular price 75c. Sale price..... **50¢ Pair**

WOMEN'S HOSE—Black silk lisle, double soles and high spliced heels. Regular price 50c. Sale price **29¢ Pair**

WOMEN'S OUTSIZE SILK HOSE—Lisle tops and feet, double sole and high spliced heels, full fashioned, in black and white. Regular price $2.00. Sale price **$1.65 Pair**

MEN'S HOSE—Cotton Hose, double soles and high spliced heels, in black, gray and tan. Regular price 25c. Sale price ..... **19¢, 3 for 50¢**

MEN'S HOSE—Silk lisle, double sole, high spliced heels, in black, gray and medium brown. Regular price 39c. Sale price .... **29¢, 4 for $1.00**

MEN'S HOSE—Extra fine quality silk lisle, double sole and high spliced heels, in black, gray and cordovan. Regular price 50c. Sale price.. **35¢, 3 for $1.00**

MEN'S FULL FASHIONED SILK HOSE—Double sole, high spliced heels, in black, Russian calf, gray, navy and Palm Beach. Regular price $1.00. Sale price ..... **2 Pairs for $1.50**

MEN'S SILK HOSE—Double soles, high spliced heels, in black, cordovan, navy and gray. Regular price 75c. Sale price ..... **55¢, 2 Pairs for $1.00**

MEN'S SILK HOSE—Extra fine quality, double sole, high spliced heels, in black, cordovan, navy and gray. Regular price $1.35. Sale price **$1.10 Pair**

WOMEN'S FIBRE SILK HOSE—Double soles and heels, in black, light, medium gray, navy, beaver, fawn and white. Regular price $1.00. Sale price **79¢ Pair**

WOMEN'S HOSE—Silk lisle, double soles and high spliced heels, full fashioned, in black and white. Regular price 85c. Sale price..... **65¢ Pair**

WOMEN'S HOSE—Silk lisle, full fashioned, double soles, high spliced heels, regular and outsizes, in black and white. Regular price $1.00. Sale price, **85¢ Pair**

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE—Lisle tops and feet full fashioned, high spliced heels, in black, cordovan, Russian calf, taupe, light gray, navy and white. Regular price $2.00. Sale price..... **$1.65 Pair**

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE—Lisle top and feet, full fashioned, double sole and high spliced heels, in black, white and colors. Regular price $1.50. Sale price **$1.15 Pair**

WOMEN'S SILK LISLE HOSE—Seam in back, double sole and high spliced heels, in black and colors. Regular price 65c. Sale price..... **50¢ Pair**

OUTBREAK OF INFLUENZA

150 Cases of "Flu" and 50 of Pneumonia Developed on Trip of America

NEW YORK, March 13.—One hundred and fifty cases of influenza and 50 cases of pneumonia developed on the trip of the transport America, which arrived today from Brest. Five pneumonia victims died, including Sergeant Ralph Reed Malcolm of Stoughton, Mass.

Col Charles Pulls, a regular army officer commanding the 104th Artillery, was reported dangerously ill of pneumonia when the ship docked.

Lieut. W. W. Hawke, the ship's surgeon, attributed the outbreak to the fact that 40 men suffering from influenza and bronchial troubles had evaded medical officers at Brest and come aboard, in their anxiety to get home, without reporting their illness.

Private Emery J. Denault of St. Albans, Vt., a casual who returned on the America, was with the "Lost Battalion" in the Argonne. Later in the same sector, he was wounded in the head by shrapnel.

GERMAN DELEGATION TO PEACE CONFERENCE

WEIMAR, Wednesday, March 12.—(By the Associated Press)—The German delegates to the peace conference will be Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, the foreign minister, Dr. Eduard David, majority socialist and first president of the National Assembly, Dr. Adolph Warburg; Dr. Adolph Mueller, minister to Switzerland; Professor Walter M. A. Schuecking of Marburg university and Herr Geisberg, minister of posts and telegraph in the Prussian ministry.

Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau is a graduate of the German imperial diplomacy and has been foreign minister since the resignation of Dr. Solf. Dr. David is a member of the German ministry without portfolio. The identity of Dr. Adolph Warburg is uncertain.

Dr. Mueller formerly was director of the Electric Accumulator Works at Berlin and in July, 1915, received an honorary degree from the University of Hanover for his work in developing the efficiency of German submarines.

Prof. Schucking late in 1914 published a letter blaming Russia for the European war. Herr Geisberg is a new comer in the German government.

GETS $75,000 FOR LOSS OF LEGS

CLEVELAND, March 13.—All records for personal injury damages in Ohio courts were broken yesterday when a jury in common pleas court awarded Victor D. Miller of Cleveland $75,000 against the Pennsylvania railroad and the Toledo, Columbus & Ohio railroad, a subsidiary line, for the loss of both legs. Miller sued for $100,000.

The highest previous verdict in a county court for personal injuries was $55,000.

Miller, who is manager of a small hotel in Cleveand, was run over by a freight train at Cambridge, O.

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Sample Package of the Famous Pyramid Pile Treatment Now Offered Free to Prove What It Will Do for You.

Pyramid Pile Treatment gives quick relief from itching, bleeding or protruding piles, hemorrhoids and

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Kindly send me a Free sample of Pyramid Pile Treatment, in plain wrapper.
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Colgate's Shaving Tablets 10¢

VULCANIZED KANT KUM OUT SHAVING BRUSH

Bristles set in hard rubber. Ebony handles.....**25¢ and 35¢**

COBURN'S WITCH HAZEL, triple distilled. An after-shaving luxury. Pint.....**30¢**

BAY RUM (imported) made from fresh bay leaves and selected Porto Rican rum. Pint....**65¢**

Free City Motor Delivery

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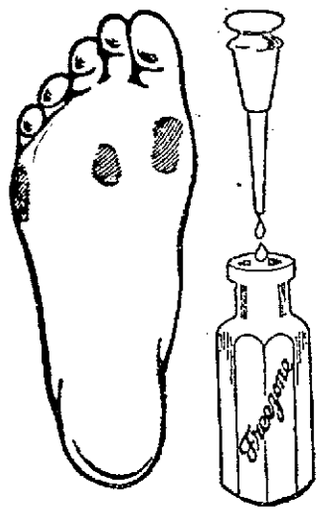
"CALLUS CORNS LIFT RIGHT OFF

Doesn't hurt a bit to lift them off with fingers



Don't suffer! A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store. Apply a few drops on the corns, calluses and "hard skin" on bottom of feet, then lift them off.

When Freezone removes corns from the toes or calluses from the bottom of feet, the skin beneath is left pink and healthy and never sore, tender or irritated.

Police Court News

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with some skeleton keys which Bernaby had in his possession.

They made their way to the safe and cash register on the second floor. The noise of the cash register being opened attracted the attention of the night watchman who had been doing some work in the cellar. The pair heard him coming up the stairs and Reilly hid in the coatroom. Before Bernaby could make himself scarce the night watchman came into the room and found the young man behind the counter with a roll of bills amounting to nearly two hundred dollars in his hand.

The watchman persuaded him to put the money back in the cash register, and ordered the two boys to clear out, which they lost no time in doing. Later he reported the affair to the manager. The boys testified that the watchman saw them the following day and advised them to get out of town as soon as possible, but this was denied by the latter.

Conway on the Job

Monday the boys went to Lawrence, where they stayed until last evening. Early in the night, in company with Bernaby's brother, Archibald whom they had met in the down-river city, the trio started back to Lowell on foot. While in the vicinity of Stanley's-on-the-Merrimack they were seen by Sheriff Martin Conway, who was on his way to the down river city in his machine, and immediately recognized them from descriptions given him by the Lowell police. The sheriff stopped his car, arrested and held them for the local police. Sergt. Bigelow soon arrived on the scene, and escorted the young men to the station here. There appeared to be no evidence of Archibald's connection with the Yorick club break, and he was not arraigned with the other two boys this morning, although he is still being held in custody.

House of Correction

That he broke open the back door to her home, smashed up some of her dishes and furniture and wound up by setting fire to the house, was the testimony of Mrs. Thomas Mainville when she took the stand against her husband, Thomas E., who was present on complaints charging him with drunkenness and non-support.

Thomas admitted that he had not lived with his better half for about eight months, also that for several weeks he had failed to contribute regularly to the support of his family, as ordered by the court some time ago. He denied breaking into her home last evening, or that he had set fire to the house.

The arresting officer and a young man who had been in the vicinity corroborated the woman's story, and Mainville was sentenced to five months in the house of correction.

FIRST PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Rev. A. B. Riggs, pastor, presided over the annual meeting of the First Pentecostal church, which was held last evening in the church parlors. A feature of the meeting was the election of officers, which resulted as follows: Stewards, Charles Burtt, Oliver Carls, Weldon Fader, John Frazee, Harold Gales, Miles Laffay, Simon Lunn, Charles Randlett, Edwin Sleeper, Mrs. Nellie Barnard, Mrs. Amanda Cove, Mrs. Fannie Kendall, Miss Edith Moogers; trustee, James Doherty; ushers, George Cheney, Harold Gale, Geo. Ashley, Weldon Fader, William Metherall, John Gordon, John Cotton. Delegates to the district assembly, held in April, Messrs. Weldon Fader, Edwin Sleeper, Mrs. Joseph Barnard, Mrs. James Cove, Misses M. Lombard, Rose M. Wright.

Several reports were read but the most important was that of the treasurer, which showed the sum of $7747.57 raised during the year and of this sum $797.80 has been given to missions. The sum of $75 was pledged to educational work during the year. It was also reported that the sum of $519 was spent for the poor during the year and that the sum of $330.63 was raised by the membership committee.

DELEGATES ENTERTAINED

Delegates to the special meeting of the inter-church council of the Methodist denomination in Lowell, were entertained at supper last evening at the Worthen Street church, Mrs. Hugh Green had charge of the supper, assisted by members of the home missionary society. The council meets for the purpose of discussing plans and problems connected with the taking of a survey of the city on missionary work, in connection with the coming centenary.

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Should be chosen carefully. Gloves mean so much to the well groomed woman.

WOMEN'S FILOSETTE GLOVES, all colors, **$1.00**

WOMEN'S SILK GLOVES, heavy, all colors.....**75¢**

WOMEN'S SILK GLOVES, extra quality, double tip and colors **$1.00**

WOMEN'S IMPORTED GLOVES, kid, black with white, gray, white with black, ...**$3.00**

BRIEFS

Easter Cards may be found in numbers at the Stationery Department, Street Floor.

Kiddies Haircutting is only 25¢ in the morning. Kiddies Barber Shop.

Avoid the afternoon crowds and save money.

Rest a While at the Victrola Department on the Fourth Floor

You can buy Furniture on the Morris Plan Without Interest.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

MEN'S $3.00 PAJAMAS, in madras and pongee with double silk frog, **$2.00**

MEN'S $2 and $2.50 NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, in fine percale, madras and pongee, soft cuffs, coat styles, **$1.65**

MEN'S FIBRE SILK HALF HOSE, in navy blue and gray with double heel, sole and toe.....**29¢**

MEN'S SPLIT FOOT HALF HOSE, all sizes.....**25¢**

MEN'S DOUBLE SILK GLOVES, in plain gray or gray with black, **$1.50**

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Patent Colt or Black Kid Pumps in high or low heel, patent colt vici kid—black or brown calf oxfords...**$6.00 and $6.50**

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When you buy a pair of good stockings you will find it to be a sound investment. A variety of hosiery in a variety of prices follow:

WOMEN'S SILK LISLE HOSE, in African brown with double heel, sole and toe .....**50¢**

WOMEN'S PURE SILK HOSE, in black, white and African brown, semi-fashion with double sole, heel and toe. **$1.00**

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News From the

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Our Coat and Suit Buyer has just returned from New York. While over there she bought hundreds of lovely new Spring Suits, Dresses, Capes and Dolmans. There are so many new styles and so many values and such little time to describe them that we are going to advertise them separately tomorrow night.

Early Spring Values are always the best. You get more service from the early selection.

THE BLOUSE SHOP

You know where it is located: Second Floor, next Fashion Shops.

That is where one naturally goes to see the very latest doings of the clever blouse designers. It is there that you will find—

GEORGETTE CREPE BLOUSES, beautifully beaded, and others embroidered in shiny silk.....**$5.00**

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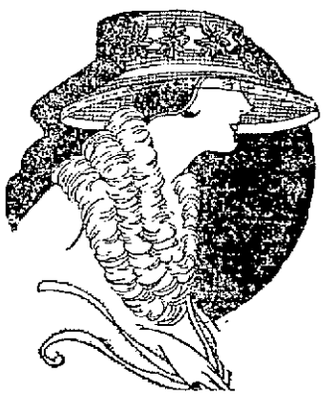

SPRING MILLINERY

As bright and gay as the lovely weather we have been enjoying lately.

This week, while walking through the Millinery shop, I noticed how large the wonder hats were. So many women like large hats and we have them in numbers.

Not alone are styles confined to large hats, but also the small close-fitting shapes may be found.

WONDER HATS, trimmed with fruit, flowers, ribbons and feathers **$5.00**

TRIMMED HATS, good looking styles **$2.98**

The Little Grey Shops

Where the loveliest "Baby Things" grow. This week we call your particular attention to the Nursery Furniture.

Folding Clothes Dryer, white enameled **$2.25**

Babies' Bath Tubs, portable folding style, oak finish..**$6.98**

Oak Baby Rocker, adjustable seat **$1.98**

Toilet Seats with back, mahogany finish **$1.98**

Little Miss Muffet Hats, poke shapes, with rosebud trimmings, also the plain tailored hats with long streamers, **$1.98 and $2.98**

Girls' Coats, fine black and white checks, also the new blues, tan, and tailored navy, in high waist line—button trimmed, 2 to 14 years .....**$5.98 to $14.98**

Girls Slip-ons, pure worsted, in rose and copen, sizes 6 to 16 years, **$4.98**

Perforated Stocking Dryer, sizes 4 to 6½.....**25¢**

Shirt Drying Frame, collapsible, sizes 0, 1, 2, 4, 5, 6.....**49¢**

WELCOMED TO WARSAW

American Red Cross Mission Given Enthusiastic Greeting by Poles

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The city of Warsaw gave an enthusiastic welcome to the special relief train bearing the American Red Cross mission to Poland and 25 cars of foodstuffs, hospital supplies and clothing according to reports received in Paris and cabled here today. Premier Paderewski adjourned a cabinet meeting to welcome the mission, which is headed by Dr. Walter U. Bailey of Boston.

Large crowds greeted the mission at the railroad station and along the route to their headquarters, and the American and Polish national anthems were played by a number of bands.

Premier Paderewski at a dinner given to the Americans said:

"We recognize in your mission, the heart of the magnanimous American people, and I cannot tell you how deeply we appreciate your coming to us at this time, when we need you most."

MUSICAL CONCERT AT COLONIAL HALL

Before a lamentably small audience at Colonial hall last night a group of artists from Boston gave a concert under the auspices of the Sunshine club that was of distinctly high musical calibre.

Five young women composed the concert company and although slipping into town in an unpretentious and unheralded manner as it were, the music lovers present last night agreed that the talent of this group of entertainers was as fine and enjoyable as has been heard at any similar concert held here this winter. Persons who did not know about the concert or, knowing about it, were unable to attend, were certainly denied a very fine musical treat.

The two artists whose work was most conspicuously enjoyed were Miss Rae Kilmer, harpist and Miss Marian Coursen, pianist. Miss Kilmer, a winsome young person of most engaging personality, proved she was mistress of that difficult instrument, the harp, and played not only with a sureness of herself and the instrument but as if she enjoyed her work and of course the audience certainly enjoyed hearing her. For an encore she played two old airs, a hymn and Last Rose of Summer, accompanying her playing with an informal and unconventional little humming song that was delightful.

Miss Coursen, impressing one as having all the ability of a concert pianist, nevertheless did not consider it an unimportant task to make the program a success by skilful efforts as an accompanist. She played two solo numbers by Chopin and held the close attention of her audience. Miss Ruth Stickney was heard to good advantage on the violin. The vocal soloist was Mrs. Charlotte Woodruffe. A little dancer named Thelma Grant offered a Scotch dance and an Irish reel and pleased with her work.

11 HORSES LOST

Fire Destroyed Peabody Stable Today

PEABODY, March 13.—Eleven horses were lost here early today in a fire which destroyed the stable on Fuller street, owned by the estate of the late Patrick J. Murphy. The cause was unknown.

DRUGGISTS INTERESTED IN PROHIBITION LAW

Lowell druggists are watching with interest the progress of prohibition legislation. The law provides that liquor may be sold "for drug, medicinal, pharmaceutical and sacramental purposes," but wholesale druggists say that except for the pure grain alcohol, which is absolutely necessary in the manufacture of drugs, there is no real necessity for the sale of whiskey, brandy, gin and such other liquors in a drug store, either wholesale or retail. Therefore, they argue, they might as well give up their wholesale licenses and take out licenses only for the sale of alcohol.

Some retail druggists take the same view, but there are others who believe that the sale of bottled liquor by drug stores should be allowed to continue, on the ground that the average woman requiring liquor for medicinal purposes does not want to be seen going in and coming out of a liquor store. One druggist, diametrically opposed to the sale of liquor unless absolutely necessary, has made the broad statement that the unlimited sale of liquor in drug stores has a tendency to develop the drinking habit among women. But there was a saving sentence in his speech. He said that a very small percentage of the drug stores welcomed a liquor trade.

The fact that liquor can be obtained at drug stores without a doctor's prescription every day of the week except Sunday renders it comparatively easy for druggists, so disposed, to do quite a liquor business, and it is but natural that women wanting liquor would prefer to go to a drug store rather than to a liquor store. All the druggist requires is that the purchaser sign a book, the druggist taking the purchaser's word for it that the liquor is being purchased for medicinal purposes. The modus operandi is very simple and in view of the fact that the drug stores are open every day of the week and not restricted by the 11 o'clock law, it would seem as if the drug store with a "liquor trade" had something on the fellow selling booze under a fourth class license for which he pays somewhere in the vicinity of $1300.

"If we are to have prohibition," said one druggist who believes that liquor ought not to be obtainable at drug stores except on doctors' prescriptions, "it ought not to be defeated by a thing so simple as a loosely written drug store law."

So far as the use of liquors in medicinal prescriptions is concerned, one leading druggist said today that some of the largest drug stores in Lowell will not use a gallon of brandy or whiskey in a month, and they might as well cut out the business entirely. This man was emphatic in the declaration that he did not intend to have his store run as a "near-saloon."

SPRING PLOWING STARTS

The spring plowing at the Chelmsford street hospital farm was started yesterday under the direction of Supt. Martin Conley. Mr. Conley states that although it seems rather early to plow the soil, still a few years ago he planted peas on March 18 and with good results.

FLORENCE CRITTENTON LEAGUE

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year at the annual meeting of the Florence Crittenton league, which was held yesterday: Mrs. Frederick A. Flather, president; Mrs. George L. Van Deurson, first vice president; Mrs. Brooks Stevens, second vice president; Mrs. Burnham R. Benner, secretary and Miss Alice N. Howell, treasurer.

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ANOTHER LOWELL HERO BACK FROM FRANCE

Back from 18 months of active service in France, Lieut. Winfred C. MacBrayne, military aeronaut, reached his home in Lowell last night. He brings with him one of the most satisfying and honorable war records of any young man who went into the service from this city, and has had experiences second to none.

In the balloon service through choice as an observer and director of artillery fire, Lieut. MacBrayne subjected himself to the most trying hardships and dangerous work, and the Croix de Guerre, distinguished service cross and seven citations for bravery are his reward.

Prior to this country's participation in the great war, Lieut. MacBrayne

LIEUT. WINFRED C. MacBRAYNE

had been identified with militia work for some time, and when the declaration of war came he held a captain's commission in the Sixth Massachusetts. This he quickly resigned, however, in the hope of active service at an early date and accepted a lieutenant's commission with Battery F, 102nd F.A. He went with that outfit to Boxford and sailed for France in September, 1917. Shortly after landing at St. Nazaire, the Lowell battery was attached to a French division.

Not long after that opportunity came to volunteer for balloon service and Lieut. MacBrayne jumped at the chance. He was sent immediately to a French school for balloon observers near the Swiss border and there received intensive training for six weeks. He was then detailed for duty with a French balloon section between Soissons and St. Quentin and spent nearly three months in that sector. While working with the French the Lowell officer was near death on several occasions, twice having his balloon shot away and descending in a parachute, and being subject to heavy artillery fire and to constant attack by Boche planes. But the artillery had to have the balloons "up there" to regulate their fire, and Lieut. MacBrayne stuck in day after day and did his work well. It was on this sector that he received a commendation from his commanding officer and a citation from the French. He also had the pleasure of working in conjunction with his old battery and cannot say enough in praise of the Lowell boys and their fine artillery work.

Assignments to three different American balloon companies followed his work in the St. Quentin sector and five citations from the United States and one more from the French government tell the story of his devotion to duty. He remained in active service until Nov. 28, 1918, when he was relieved and given opportunity to prepare for a homeward trip.

Lieut. MacBrayne's most thrilling experience came with a fall in a parachute after his balloon had been fired by Hun bullets. A new man and a junior in rank was with him at the time and, although it was the Lowell officer's privilege to go over the side of the basket first, he allowed the junior to jump ahead of him. When Lieut. MacBrayne cut himself loose the balloon had descended almost 1000 feet and when his parachute failed to open he crashed down on the treetops. Although rendered unconscious, he soon recovered sufficiently to again go up and "hang over the lines."

Lieut. MacBrayne sailed for America on Feb. 22 on the steamer Martha Washington, arriving at Newport News a few days ago. He is at present on 15 days' leave but expects to receive his discharge within a short time.

WILL HEAR IRISH POET AND LECTURER

Members of the League of Catholic Women and their friends will have an opportunity to hear one of the most able lecturers that has come to Lowell for some time when Dennis A. McCarthy, Irish poet and lecturer, will speak in Lincoln hall, Gorham street, at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening. Mr. McCarthy has just returned from overseas where he did a great amount of entertaining under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus. On Sunday he will read from his own poems. As a collateral feature the quartet of St. Michael's choir, assisted by Miss Ella M. Reilly, will give a concert suitable to the observance of St. Patrick's day which comes on Monday.

WILSON TO START WORK AT PARIS AT ONCE

ON BOARD U.S.S. GEORGE WASHINGTON, Wednesday, March 12, 7 p. m.—(By wireless to the Associated Press)—President Wilson expects to arrive at Brest about 830 o'clock Thursday evening. He will board his special train immediately after the brief reception ceremonies and will probably arrive in Paris at about 9 o'clock Friday morning.

President and Mrs. Wilson dined this evening with Captain McCauley in his suite. This afternoon the president sent wireless messages to Secretary Lansing and Colonel House and arranged to begin work in Paris without loss of time.

To Greet President

BREST, March 13.—Colonel House and Jules Jusserand, French ambassador to the United States, with Madame Jusserand, have arrived in Brest, to greet President Wilson when he lands from the George Washington. They were given a luncheon this noon by Georges Leyguez, minister of marine.

In preparation for the president's arrival, Brest was gaily decorated. The work was done with surprising alacrity, flags and banners appearing almost as if by magic. Large banners stretched across the streets bore the legend "Welcome Wilson."

The railway station was lavishly bedecked with allied flags and the star spangled banner, which, with the French tri-color, predominated in the decorative scheme.

According to the latest plans, the president will disembark at the Port du Commerce.

SACRED HEART CHOIR

There will be a rehearsal of the Sacred Heart choir in the church vestry at 8 o'clock Friday evening in preparation for the concert to be given Palm Sunday evening. All members of the choir are requested to be present as the rehearsal is to be important.

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TRADE BOARD ENDORSES 50-50 PROPOSITION

Despite the opposition of the legal authorities of half a dozen cities in this state where the Bay State Street Railway Co. operates its lines, the directors of the board of trade last evening voted to endorse the "50-50" proposition of the trustees of the road whereby the unit of fare to be charged will be five cents and any deficit which may arise is to be met by popular taxation.

This decision was reached after the directors had listened to statements by Fred J. Crowley, one of the trustees of the road, and Thomas Lees, superintendent of the local division. Many questions were asked and the matter argued for some time before the directors reached their eventual decision.

Other matters discussed at the meeting included the establishment of a homestead committee to further the movement that is being sponsored by the government to have people own their homes, the appointment of a committee to consider the advisability of redrafting the by-laws of the board and the naming of a nominating committee to present the list of officers for next year. It was also voted to make a further study in regard to the enforcement of the shingle roof ordinance and also to urge that the city's tax books be published at once.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Centralville M.E. church, which was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Healey, 27 Methuen street, was largely attended and considerable business was transacted. Devotional exercises were led by Mrs. W. F. Whitney. Plans were made for a gentlemen's night to be held on March 20 and at which it is expected Rev. W. E. Pettegrew will be present. The nominating committee for the ensuing year was elected as follows: Rev. W. E. Whitney, Mrs. Fred Colburn and Mrs. Charles Stevens. Refreshments were served and an entertainment program was given by the following: Mrs. F. C. Whittier, Mrs. Frank Healey and Mrs. W. F. Whitney.

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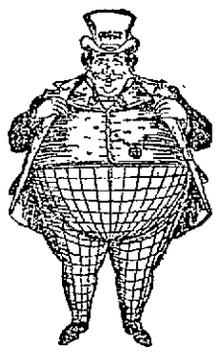

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NEW YORK, March 13.—The hampered movement of coal barges and congestion of freight on piers became more serious today as the striking harbor workers and the employing boat owners continued in deadlock over the terms of a settlement of their controversy over wages and hours. Schedules of transatlantic liners, in some instances have been changed in the hope of obtaining coal, while almost every vessel in port is experiencing trouble in coaling.

The demoralized conditions of the coal barge service has resulted in so diminishing the supply of steam coal in the city that transit companies have appealed to the public service commission and the naval authorities for aid. A complete shutdown of service on the elevated and subway lines in the Interborough Rapid Transit Co. was predicted today by Frank Hadley, general manager of the company when the four days' supply on hand is exhausted.

Tieup In New Jersey

NEWARK, N. J., March 13.—Street car service in 12 northern New Jersey counties was paralyzed again today although the Public Service corporation attempted to operate a few cars with employes who refused to join the 4500 striking motormen and conductors.

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WOMAN TO LEAD DRIVE FOR "JAPAN DRY"

LOS ANGELES, Feb.—"Saki," Japan's traditional drink, is in for the battle of its long career.

With the slogan, "Japan dry by 1930," Mrs. Kara Smart Root is headed for the land of rice-wine and cherry-blossoms.

The only American woman organizer who has ever been to the far east, Mrs. Root faces a double problem. Not only must she make the country dry, but she must break down the barrier that still remains in Japan against a woman being active in public life.

Mrs. Root is corresponding secretary for the Woman's Christian Temperance union of Southern California. She goes to Japan as representative of the executive committee of the National Dry Federation, though she refused to accept the appointment until it was sanctioned by the dry forces of Japan.

"I knew their prejudice," she said, "against women in public. And I wanted the movement to come from them. A prohibition campaign must originate at home to be successful.

"Japan is ready. It has its own prohibition advocates, who are only waiting to be organized.

"That is what I propose to do—organize the dry forces of Japan and avoid the argument that it is an American invasion."

Mrs. Root was in Japan from 1902 to 1906, under the World W.C.T.U. She plans to establish headquarters in Tokyo and organize a group of lecturers, of which she will be the head. Then all Japan will be divided into districts to distribute literature, organize societies in every village and hamlet, send out Japanese lecturers, and American lecturers to work with them.

"As soon as I arrive in Japan," Mrs. Root declares, "I shall take up with the government the question of temperance education in the schools. There is already some instruction along that line, and we are going to ask for more.

"The Japanese is an intelligent thinking man. When we teach him what harm 'saki' does to his body and mind, he is going to come over to our side. The campaign will be just like a great wave, gathering strength with every swell."

Mrs. Root's interest in the dry movement is nearly as old as she is. When only six years old, she signed her first pledge, and she has been working with the temperance forces ever since. The suppression of alcohol in Japan has been her dream almost since childhood.

Money for the campaign is being furnished by the National Dry Federation, and is now being raised by popular subscription. During the next five years, Mrs. Root plans to spend $50,000.

Hon. Taro Ando, president, and Rev. T. Ukai, secretary, of the Men's National Temperance league of Japan will be Mrs. Root's first co-operators. Mrs. Kaji Yajima, president of the Japanese W.C.T.U., the first woman who ever received a teacher's certificate in Japan, will be one of her lecturers and leading assistants.

Children's Coughs

may be checked and more serious conditions of the throat will be often avoided by promptly giving the child a dose of safe

PISO'S

"BABY MUSTN'T TOUCH!"

Mothers' "Safety First" Rules Will Cut Rate of Accidents to Babies 80 Per Cent

Special Correspondence to N.E.A.

CINCINNATI, Ohio.—"Safety First" rules for mothers will prevent 80 per cent of all serious or fatal accidents to children!

That's the lesson of child welfare experts are teaching Cincinnati mothers in a series of lectures on baby care.

The figures of the coroner of Hamilton county, Ohio, in which Cincinnati is located, show that the majority of accidental deaths among children are due to scalding and smothering.

Automobile accidents causing the death or injury of children are comparatively few. Most of the fatalities occur in the very presence of the child's mother—and could be easily prevented by care and forethought on her part.

Here are the "Don't Do Its" for mothers laid down by the child welfare experts:

Don't put the baby in the centre of the bed where his head may work down between heavy pillows and cause smothering. Don't let a baby sleep in a bed with older persons whose sleeping movements may draw the covers over his face and smother him.

Don't allow a child to play within reach of boiling liquids, or near vessels containing hot water. Scalding is the chief cause of infant deaths. Little folks tumble into vessels of hot water left carelessly about, or pull over on themselves hot liquids left on the stove within their reach.

Don't leave a child alone in the presence of open fires, or where matches can be reached. Fire has a fascination for children. Never allow them to play with it—or even be near it unless they are watched constantly.

Don't keep bottles of poisonous liquid, or poisonous pills about the house, or where they can be reached by a child. Keep the medicine closet locked and the key out of reach.

Don't let a child play with sharp-pointed scissors, pencils, or other hard, sharp articles. Bad injuries to the eyes and mouth are due to falls, while holding such playthings.

Don't permit a child to suck or play with a talcum powder box. The paint sometimes comes off and the powder itself has proven deadly poisonous if eaten by the baby.

DON'T LET THE BABY—

1. Play with scissors. They may put out his eyes or cut him seriously.

2. Play with a talcum powder can. Such powder is often deadly poison.

3. Get within reach of the medicine closet.

4. Play with pencils. He may fall and puncture the roof of the mouth.

5. Play with fire or matches.

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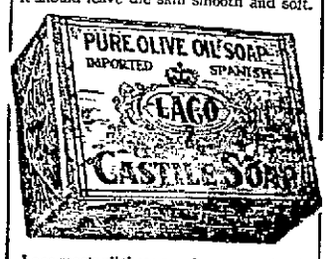

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Being Fed by British—British Armies of Occupation Total 902,000

LONDON, Tuesday, March 11.—The government announced in the house of commons today that the total strength of effective and non-effective British troops in the armies of occupation in all theatres of the war was 902,000 men, including officers. The strength of the British army in France, Belgium and Germany, including dominion troops, on Feb. 15, was 1,324,100.

It is stated that 197,000 German prisoners are being fed by the British commissary department.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange anything try a Sun want ad.

FOOD SITUATION GRAVE

American Army Surgeons Analyze Rations For People in North Russia

ARCHANGEL, Tuesday, March 11.—(By the Associated Press)—The food situation in northern Russia is causing concern. In the district between Archangel and Onega, where a heavy frost late last summer killed even the Arctic summer berries, the people have already eaten the ration fixed for next June. American army surgeons have analyzed the civilian ration for the entire population in the North Russia district and found that it contains only 1156 callories daily. A man doing no work needs 1710 and soldiers receive at least 3500 callories daily. The civilian ration, according to surgeons, may be sufficient to sustain life through the winter, but the people will be drawing on their reserve strength, exposing themselves to danger from disease.

DINES, DRESSES AND SPEAKS AS IN DAYS OF OLD GREECE

George Pappageorge, linguist, writer and editor of "Prometheus," the largest Greek paper on the Pacific coast, doesn't dress like this while he is in San Francisco. But much of his time is spent at his country home in Ross Valley, at which everything is Greek—Greek food, Greek customs and Greek entertainment "stunts," including ancient religious dances in which Pappageorge himself participates. He came from the Isle of Samos, of which his father was mayor, while his grandmother, who was highly educated, redeemed almost the entire population from illiteracy. Pappageorge speaks Italian, French and Arabic, besides English and Greek. He is devoting his life to the New Greece movement.

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MAKE A LITTLE BUSINESS BIG

There are men in some kinds of business who do not think their business needs to be advertised. In this point they and the United States government differ. The government advertises itself.

Is anyone interested not to extend his business and enlarge his list of customers? The sure way of extending business and securing customers is to let the people know what you offer or what you can do, through newspaper advertising.

Is it worth while to have the people of the community think you and your business are prosperous? Advertising in The Sun helps create that feeling.

One local undertaker recently had a big ad in The Sun. His ad sounded as if he would be a fair man with whom to do business at a trying time. Wasn't it worth while for him to circulate that reputation by means of his ad?

Should a cobbler advertise? Yes, unless he wants to "stick to his last" until there is no shoe on it for him to fix.

If you want to try to make a big business out of what may now be a little business, why not have a talk on the subject with a representative of

THE SUN

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CRITICS NOW AND THEN

The constitution of the League of Nations may be susceptible of improvement. Very few documents so hurriedly prepared approach perfection: but if the constitution were absolutely perfect, it would be criticized just the same.

Few will deny that the constitution of the United States was one of the most perfect charters of human freedom ever drafted by the mind of man, and yet it was the subject of bitter attack and denunciation even by men of the highest patriotism such as Patrick Henry.

Senators Lodge and Knox, with Borah, Reed and a few others, have endeavored to alarm the country in regard to the effect this proposed league would have on the United States. These men may be honest in their criticism; but many of the republican critics are speaking for political effect as this subject serves them as a political issue at a time when there is a great dearth of issues.

Certain senators declare they are opposed to the league in any form. "It is destructive of our sovereignty, of the Monroe Doctrine and of the nation's freedom of action," they say. Quite similar were the statements made in criticism of the constitution of the United States. Here for example is the statement of Patrick Henry to the Virginia convention:

> "Is this tame relinquishment of rights worthy of freemen? Is it worthy of that manly fortitude that ought to characterize republicans? It is said that eight states have accepted this plan. I declare that if 12½ had adopted it, I would, with manly fortitude, and in spite of an erring world, reject it."

Luther Martin, a delegate to the Maryland convention, issued an address against ratification of the constitution in the following terms:

> "We consider the proposed form of national government as very defective, and that the liberty and happiness of the people will be endangered if the system be not greatly changed and altered."

In their attacks upon the league constitution Senators Lodge and Knox almost echo the utterance of James Lincoln to the South Carolina convention when he said:

> "What have you been contending for in the ten years past? Liberty! What is liberty? The power of bettering yourselves. If you adopt this constitution, have you this power? No; you give it over to the hands of men who live 1000 miles distant from you."

It was Senator Poindexter who charged President Wilson with disloyalty to the American people; but Mr. Treadwell, a delegate to the New York convention, made a similar charge against Washington, Franklin, Hamilton and Madison when he said:

> "In this constitution, sir, we have departed widely from the principles and political faith of '76, when the spirit of liberty ran high and danger put a curb on ambition. Here we find no security for the right of individuals, no security for the existence of our state government. * * * Sir, in this constitution we have not only neglected—we have done worse—we have openly violated our faith—that is—our public faith. * * *"

Criticism of the constitution was rife in Massachusetts just as criticism of the League of Nations is rampant now among certain republicans. It was Mr. Symmes of this state who visualized the alleged evils of the constitution as follows:

> "For, sir, I also disapprove of the power to collect which is here vested in congress. It is a power, sir, to burden us with a standing army of ravenous collectors—harpies, perhaps, from another state, but who, however, were never known to have bowels for any purpose but to fatten on the life blood of the people. In an age or two, and when the congress shall become tyrannical, these vultures, their servants will be the tyrants of the village by whose presence all freedom of speech and action will be taken away."

Yet in spite of all these attacks and a great many more of the same kind the constitution was adopted and none of the terrible things predicted by these prophets of evil have come to pass. In our judgment, the bulk of the criticism of the constitution of the League of Nations is equally groundless and will be similarly disregarded when the time comes to ratify the treaty of which it will form a part.

As the attacks upon the constitution of the United States did no harm, neither will those directed at the League of Nations. As President Wilson has declared the American people are in favor of the League of Nations to enforce peace and in the face of favorable public sentiment Senator Lodge and his 37 protesting politicians will eventually back down and ratify the treaty and the constitution of the league.

Critics like Taft and Bryan, who suggest improvements, are to be lauded and commended: but the destructive critics who simply attack without suggesting any improvement, may be classed as political wreckers.

SALACIOUS SHOWS

Mayor Thompson will find public sentiment solidly behind him in barring from exhibition in local theatres any film which is in the slightest degree questionable. The opinion of the censor is usually reliable. Even with the exercise of the best of care it is found that occasionally some of the films will have features that are open to criticism on moral grounds; but when a film is heralded as sensational and appealing to prurient tastes, the proper thing is to shut it out. We understand the managers of the local picture houses, or most of them, are organized to oppose the presentation of salacious pictures here. In that they should be encouraged. To permit a theatre outside the association to exhibit such a picture would have a very bad effect. Mayor Thompson will do well to avoid such a mistake.

A New York paper observing that Montpelier and St. Johnsbury have changed from no license to license, adds mournfully that Vermont in certain places has evidently waked up too late, like the rest. There need be no mourning in Manhattan because of what Vermont has done or her tardiness in doing it. Vermont can have a good time between now and July 1st, as regards liquor—if that be her idea of joyfulness. New York should not forget that in September, Vermont will be pressing juicy apples and storing the juice away—creating, in other words, a product far more pure than what is sold at Jack's.

It behooves all politicians and all political parties to "get right" on this proposition about women's votes, particularly with a view to results in 1920. Eleven million women will vote for president, representing the 19 states which have given women this right. The New York World says women's votes will undoubtedly swing the next presidential election. The republicans may set up a recently made "convert" as a candidate for president. But they cannot efface the record of opposition.

Mrs. Ruth Stevens Reed, home demonstration leader, says that upon attaining the dignity of 40 years, most of the women ought to camouflage the fact to some extent by always wearing something yellow around the neck. Twenty-dollar bills? Oh yes, if they are fortunate enough to have enough of them to make a nice yellow decoration. So, arriving at 40 years is to be the newest "yellow peril." It will not be long now before we may expect some novelist to describe a character as having "come to the saffron years."

Covenant, covenant, covenant! We keep hearing of that word in connection with the League of Nations' plan. Covenant is a word with which the text of the bible has considerable to do. It's surprising that some of the senatorial objectors haven't touched on the religious flavor of the word. No matter what they may say about the word in the future, it's an honest word and means a great deal to honest men of whom perhaps, not many samples may be found among political charlatans anxious to destroy the league's plan in order to further political party aims.

If you love the excitement of election days, you will envy the experience coming to citizens of Hillsboro, N. H., in this merry and windy month of March. That enterprising little hill town will struggle through four different elections. March 11 is annual town meeting. March 13 is town school district meeting, on March 17 occurs village precinct meeting, and the windup comes on March 24, with a special school district meeting. Life for the time being in Hillsboro, will be just one election day after another!

It seems that President Wilson's landlord in Paris, Prince Murat, saw no reason why he should abstain from criticising the president, both verbally and in his mushroom paper, born since the armistice was signed. As a result, Mr. Wilson is to live in the mansion owned by the little Bishoffsheim girl. A landlord in America would not consider it courteous or good policy to publicly criticise a tenant, and why should even a French prince think he could do it with impunity?

"Make something of your job. Do more than you are paid for. Make the little job become a big job." This has a familiar ring because it is the oft quoted advice to young men. Like all good things, it has to be occasionally recorded as a failure. George Creel's experience is a conspicuous example. He wasn't bad, but he tried to make too much of his censorship job. There will be no moaning at the bar when he retires to private life, as he announces he will do.

Senator Norris of Nebraska, makes a bid for public notice—and how those middle west senatorial boys do yearn for notoriety—by "releasing" a public letter in which he assails the president for making a trip to Europe which he characterizes as "gorgeous." Does the Nebraskan believe there is anything particularly gorgeous in being seasick?

The example of Amelia E. Barr, the novelist, who died Tuesday in New York, confirms the belief on the part of some authorities on literature that a writer should not attempt to create much fiction until having arrived at an age which ordinarily insures a person has attained both experience and well rounded intellectual maturity. Mrs. Barr wrote 63 novels, most of them successful, after she reached the age of 53.

SEEN AND HEARD

Don't forget your federal income tax, dowggoncit!

Many people think that Germany is being allowed about one hundred thousand too many men for her army.

The people of the seven Massachusetts towns who voted to license the sale of liquor on Tuesday are going to be sure of one, last drink anyway.

We know what has become of the travelling German bands, who were wont to play throughout the city, but how about the hurdy-gurdy and hand-organ?

Salem high school has a good idea—the names of all of its graduates who died in the service are to be inscribed on a tablet and placed in the school with fitting dedicatory exercises.

Say, you gentlemen, at the peace conference, if you ain't goin' to kill the ex-kaiser, don't bother with the minor criminals. Everybody is disgusted with the policy of sparing the big fellow and killing the little fellow.

Had a Reason

A country clergyman who was nailing up a refractory creeper observed a young lad watching him for a long time with obvious interest.

"Well, my young friend," he said smilingly, "are you trying to get a hint or two on gardening?"

"Noa!" said the youth.

"Are you surprised to see me working like this?"

"Noa! I do be waiting to see what a parson do say when he hammers his thoomb!"—Chicago Herald and Examiner.

Impossible Situation

"You say you were well thought of in the last place where you worked?"

"I may say so, ma'am. I got this wrist watch and this necklace as presents."

"Well! Well! And why did you leave if you were so highly esteemed? Did you have words with your mistress?"

"No, ma'am. I didn't have any, but the mistress and the master had words. When it was all over he turned to me and said, 'Mary, you see what the situation is. Goodby.' "—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Things I Observed Today

That the shorter the man the greater the conceit.

That the first whiff of spring might easily be translated to the first "sniff" of spring. At least, one seems to accompany the other.

That some people take themselves and incidentally their jobs so seriously that it interferes with their success.

That the greater the man the more complete his relaxation when he takes time off for play.

That some men are of the type who can stand for 15 minutes or more on a windy day and gaze right at a horse standing with his blanket on the ground and quite as complacently watch a woman who has just come on the scene with one arm full of bundles, stop, pick up the blanket and with difficulty rearrange the cover for the horse's comfort.—Lawrence Telegram.

Met Billy and "Ma"

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. A. Hurtubise of this city, who are now in Florida, had a most interesting experience on the trip from Washington to the southern state. Just as the train started from Washington Mr. Hurtubise happened to look across the aisle and recognized no less a personage than Billy Sunday, the famous evangelist. Mrs. Sunday, better known as "Ma" Sunday, was with the revivalist, and inasmuch as the Lowell man had seen and heard Billy when he was in Boston a few years ago, he knew him immediately. He made himself known and both Mr. and Mrs. Sunday proved most cordial travelling companions for the rest of the trip. Billy was on his way to Miami, Florida, to open a three weeks' revival service. Mr. Hurtubise writes that Billy is most interesting to meet informally just as he has made himself intensely interesting to thousands of people on the platform.

With the Haberdashers

"In the spring a young man's fancy turns to love"—also to the haberdasher's shop across the way, where the new scarfs, shirts, collars and hosiery of the new season will be found in profusion at this time of the year. To begin with, he will find that ties will be much narrower this spring and summer. The large, flourishing style of last year has about worn itself out with the best dressers, and all the new models show a perceptible decrease in width, though not to stringiness. Bow ties will of course be worn to a degree, but the four-in-hand and open ends are the shapes that are called for oftenest. Knitted scarf ties have been revived in the most handsome striped effects and were worn a lot in the early part of the season. They will still be good throughout the summer for informal wear, while for dress occasions, discriminating men will ask for grenadine ties. These are made in Persian effects as well as in batik designs, and in the latter, which are done of course by hand, are sometimes quite expensive!

Cameo effects, in taupe and blue silk are made to meet the request of the quiet dresser, as are also two-toned stripes in crepe. Hindu crepe in plain colors will be the smart tie for summer wear, and Venetian crepe in Oriental patterns will be one of the new features in the tie world. Among the reds, vermillion is the new shade, and along with it are seen orange and brick red. Purple, blue and green are next in popularity. Shirts, as regards the materials, are showing up practically as they did last season, except that the young man will find more of the eastern crepes than formerly, since they are no longer novelties. Regular silk shirtings and crepe de chines are being used for the finer grades of shirts, while for everyday wear there are linen and silk mixtures, madras, mercerized cotton and percale. Pin stripes in gay colors, such as orange, red, bright blue or purple are the newest things in silk shirtings, while in the mercerized effects satin stripes are shown more. There are more striped and small flowered patterns than solid colors, except white. Predominant colors are pink, blue, tan, green and brown, though there is no limit on the colors as presented this season. The vogue of stripes, the young man will find, has descended even to the hosiery for spring and summer. The patterns are not gaudy, but rather subdued because they are usually of the two-toned variety and made of the finest silk. Solid colors are good, too, and one sees a very few polka dots beginning to appear, though for conservative tastes the first mentioned styles are safest. Black, white and pale gray hose will be worn with white trousers and gray coats for sports and club wear, while the whole gamut of colors is there for the choice of those who have more hectic ideas of attiring their feet.

The Street Car

I looked down the lane of a car
With passenger-heads in a row,
And I said to each head, "What you are
I am curious, somewhat, to know.
I could fancy you ranged on a shelf,
Like a series of overturned bowls,
So I think, to enliven myself,
I shall take off the tops of your souls.

And one soul was full of a scheme
Of how to grab gold, lily-handed,
And one soul was ripe with a dream
Of relief for the stricken and stranded.
And one soul was witless and wild,
All heedless of gaining or giving
And one—'twas the soul of a child—
Bubbled up with the laughter of living.

And one soul was grinning with guile
Intent upon tricking a woman,
And one lolled and languished the while
And approved its own wit and acumen.
And one shoul was fretful and thin
A flying soul sentence to flivving—
And one (with an African skin)
Chuckled up with the laughter of living.

And one soul was sticky with pride
And counted all things by their cost,
And one soul was dreary and dried
And one was afraid it was lost.
And one soul was saved—and to show it,
It wept with a mournful thanksgiving;
And one—'twas the soul of a poet—
Leaped up with the laughter of living.

I set back their tops on the souls,
On their frivol and fret, and their folly;
And again, with expressionless jowls,
They were passenger-heads on a trolley.
Then I peeped in my own soul, my brothers;
I un-topped it without a misgiving.
And I found all I found in the others,
Excepting the laughter of living.

EDMUND VANCE COOKE

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

I wonder if we have any men serving in our city government at the present time or if some of the former city officials are made in the same mould as ex-Mayor White of Lawrence. Lawrence is all stirred up by the holding of what has come to be termed in that city, "town meetings." At the "town meeting" held Monday night Mr. White was present and in answer to his oft repeated claims that he knew how Lawrence could save $200,000 in her municipal expenses, someone "called" him and said the whole town would be glad to know what he had up his sleeve by way of economy. Thereupon, Mr. White said there were certain conditions attached to his releasing his plans, the most important condition being that the citizens elect him mayor of the city again. In connection with this he declared that he was the greatest mayor Lawrence ever had or ever would have. Do you suppose we have any men in Lowell as modest as Mr. White?

The unemployment problem in Lowell seems to be rather bad just now but we don't believe it is as bad as the gloom-spreaders try to make out it is. A mean piece of business it is to circulate around a figure representing the number of men thought to be without jobs when the figure represents only guesswork. I hear the returned soldiers who cannot find jobs do not think that they should have to go out of town to obtain work and be self supporting. Their argument is, that they have been away from their folks for a long time, in the majority of cases, and do not believe they should have to be separated from their folks now that they are back in the United States.

One other very bad thing in connection with this job situation, as my friend Cornelius Cronin expresses it to me, is this. Nearly every day he will have at least a dozen jobs at living wages but nearly always at a considerable distance from Lowell. Mustered out soldiers come to him for jobs who declare they are broke and have no place where they can obtain money for carfare. Mr. Cronin has no fund for such a purpose. Possibly the jobs wouldn't be any good after a man got there or perhaps the employer would try to cut down what had been first offered as wages, but, in all events, it ought to be certainly worth while to finance a young man of good reputation chasing a job.

Apparently prosperous times loom ahead for those who make candy. Working men, professional men and others in Lowell are not ashamed to be seen making extensive purchases of candy for their own personal consumption these days and the candy store clerks tell me that there is a great increase in the number of male customers. We can tell something pleasant about this new candy custom, too. We have been told that certain physicians appealed to by men who earnestly desired to quit drinking liquor have recommended that the man who wishes to quit booze, form the habit of eating candy as being something that quiets the desire to go and tank up.

While I am on the subject of booze, I might as well unburden myself of another rather interesting thing in connection with the subject. I know a man in this city who regularly at his club and elsewhere was accustomed to spend a certain amount of his wages each week for liquor. That was before the Lenten season started. He determined that during Lent he would not drink any liquor, whether bought by himself or others. He planned to use the money thus saved to buy phonograph records for the very fine talking machine at his home. He thinks he will thus make quite an addition to his supply of records. As the man has a family of five children, all of whom, like himself, love music, he is likely to make his home happier and to enjoy the change himself as much as any member of the family.

VICTORY LIBERTY LOAN TO OPEN APRIL 21

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The Victory Liberty loan campaign will open Monday, April 21, and close three weeks later, Saturday, May 10.

Secretary Glass announced the dates last night, together with the fact that short term notes maturing in not over five years will be issued instead of longer term bonds. The amount of notes to be offered was not disclosed, but it has been generally understood that the loan would be for a minimum of $5,000,000,000 with the treasury reserving the right to accept all oversubscriptions.

Mr. Glass said the interest rate on the notes and the amounts to be exempted from taxation would not be determined until a week or two before the campaign, as they would be based upon financial conditions at that time. It was intimated, however, that the notes might bear interest in excess of 4¼ per cent., the interest rate on the third and fourth loans.

"After studying financial conditions in all parts of the country," said Mr. Glass, "I have determined that the interests of the United States will best be served at this time by the issuance of short-term notes rather than of longer term bonds which would have to bear the limited rate of interest of 4¼ per cent.

"The Victory Liberty loan will therefore take the form of notes of the United States maturing in not over five years from the date of issue. These notes will be, as were the Liberty loan bonds, the direct promise to pay of the United States, will be issued both in registered and coupon form, and the coupon notes will be in final form and will have attached the interest coupons covering the entire life of the notes. I am hopeful that the notes in final engraved form will be ready for delivery by the opening of the campaign on April 21.

"I take this opportunity to repeat what I have already stated that it is the intention of the treasury department to carry on the same kind of intensive campaign for distribution as heretofore. It would be a most unfortunate occurrence if the people of the United States failed to take these notes, thus placing the burden of subscriptions on the banks.

"The business of the country looks to the banking system for credit to carry on its operation and if its credit is absorbed to a large extent by the purchase of government securities, there will be many limitations placed upon the supply of credit for business purposes. Other merchants and manufacturers need ample credit for setting the wheels of industry in motion for peace time production and distribution and the wage earner is directly interested in seeing that these wheels are kept moving at a normal rate in order that full employment at good wages may continue and where readjustment conditions have necessitated a slowing down of industry, it is vitally important that activity be resumed and labor re-employed at the earliest possible moment.

"I therefore ask the American people once again to give their support to their government in order that this great loan may be made an overwhelming success by the widest possible distribution."

SATURDAY LAST DAY TO FILE

Saturday, March 15, is the last day to file income tax returns, and the deputy in charge of the local district urges those who have not yet complied with the law to do so at once. It will greatly help all concerned if each and every person, going to file their returns, will study their form and have facts and figures ready when they enter the office. Much unnecessary time is consumed in asking questions, and with a great number yet to make a report, it will assist the officials as well as the people themselves if they will do as much on the form as possible before going to the office.

The blanks for filing the tentative returns of corporations may be had at the postoffice. Some of the local corporations have already received these blanks, but those not already supplied may find it convenient to get the blanks at the revenue collector's department and thus save time in making the returns, which must be on file not later than tomorrow.

2600 SPRING SHIRTS AT

$1.15

The low price tells you that the war is over—Six months ago nobody knew where Shirt prices were going to stop.

Raw materials were rising. Manufacturing costs were climbing—quotations were issued with a warning.

Suddenly conditions changed—and the change is shown in this offering of 2600 fresh Spring Shirts for $1.15.

Full, generous garments, carefully made—sure to fit and in more than fifty patterns of Madras cloth and percales. Soft cuffs—sizes 14 to 18.

PUTNAM & SON CO.

166 Central Street.

DANDRUFF GOES! HAIR GETS THICK, WAVY, BEAUTIFUL

Save your hair! Double its beauty in a few moments. Try this!

Hair stops coming out and every particle of dandruff disappears.

Try as you will after an application of Danderine, you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; and incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter for a few cents and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

Trade in Lowell with Sun advertisers and you will save money on your purchases.

Don't Coax! Your Little Pet Needs a Candy Cascaret

Look at the kiddie's tongue! Then hurry! Give Cascarets to work the nasty bile, souring food and constipation poison from the little liver and bowels. Children love "Candy" Cascarets. Harmless! Never gripe! Never disappoint! Cost 10 cents a box.

MOTHERS! When your child is irritable, feverish, when the little tongue is coated, breath tainted, give harmless Cascarets to thoroughly cleanse the stomach, liver and bowels—then don't worry! Full directions for children's dosage at all ages on each 10 cent box.

MIDDLESEX WOMEN'S CLUB

Monday, March 17, 4 p. m.—Lecture. Albert Bushnell Hart, LL.D. Subject: "Americanization."

Any interested are cordially invited.

A high grade, snappy drink, healthful, economical and delicious — INSTANT POSTUM

HOTEL ST. CHARLES

On the Ocean Front. Atlantic City, N. J.

American Plan. Wm. A. Leech, Mgr.

DEBS LAUDS LENINE AND TROTZKY

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 13.—In what may be his farewell public address before he begins serving a 10-year sentence imposed by the federal court here on a charge of violating the espionage act, Eugene V. Debs, socialist leader, last night upheld the bolshevist rule in Russia and referred to Lenine and Trotzky as the "foremost statesmen of the age."

Debs said the jurists of the United States supreme court were "be-gowned, be-whiskered, be-powdered old fossils, who have never decided anything."

Referring to the prison term that he faces, he reiterated his opposition to the law that he violated while the war was in progress.

Announcement was made of a meeting to be held here March 23 to protest against the imprisonment of Debs and to organize to obtain the freedom of all political and industrial prisoners.

A big squad of police and agents of the department of justice were scattered through the crowd, but there was no semblance of disorder.

Just Use Sloan's Liniment Once

Then You'll Understand Why It's the World's Greatest Pain Relief

Sloan's Liniment does exactly what is claimed for it—relieves quickly, without rubbing. It penetrates. Useful in relieving external pains, soreness, and stiffness, such as follow exposure, over-exercise, or unusual exertion.

A big bottle kept handy will last long and pay for itself in comfortable relief the first application. Clean, convenient, economical. Can be bought at any drug store. Get it today. 30c, 60c, $1.20.

Sloan's Liniment Kills Pain

CITY OF LOWELL

PUBLIC NOTICE

Office of the License Commission,
Lowell, Mass., March 13, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that applications for licenses to sell intoxicating liquors under the provisions of Chapter 100, Revised Laws, for the license year beginning May 1, 1919, should be made at this office not later than 12 o'clock noon hour, Tuesday, March 25, 1919.

Blank forms can be secured at this office and the applications must be accompanied by a fee of $3 for each license.

The following license fees will be charged:

Innholder—First Class. To sell liquors of any kind to be drunk on the premises, $150 a month.

Common victualler—First Class. To sell liquors of any kind to be drunk on the premises, $110 a month.

Dealer—Fourth Class. To sell liquors of any kind not to be drunk on the premises, $119 a month.

Brewer—Fifth Class. To sell malt liquors, cider and light wines containing not more than 10 per cent. of alcohol, not to be drunk on the premises, $110 a month.

Druggist—Sixth Class, $1.00.

Dealer in paints or in chemicals—Seventh Class. To sell pure alcohol, $1.00.

Clubs—Special Class, $25 a month.

The holder of a first class license as innholder will not be granted an additional license of the fourth class.

Certificates from the building inspector of the state police, showing that the buildings to be licensed comply with the state laws, must be presented with the application for an innholder's license and special class club license. Certificates from the State Board of Pharmacy must accompany each application for a sixth class license as druggist.

Applications for sixth and seventh class licenses may be filed up to Saturday, 12 o'clock noon, April 5, 1919.

Applicants are notified that the premises to be licensed as hotels and common victuallers must be furnished and equipped in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 102, Revised Laws, at the time applications are made; and offices, screens, pictures, boxes and all other obstructions of every character must be removed so that a clear and unobstructed view of the bar and interior of the premises can be obtained from the street, except as provided in Chapter 104, Acts of 1906.

The office of the License Commission is open daily from 9 a. m. to 12 m. and 2 p. m. to 4 p. m. and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m. and all inquiries for information should be made there.

Rules Adopted by the License Commission of the City of Lowell for the Granting of Licenses to Sell Intoxicating Liquors.

The attention of all persons interested in the granting of liquor licenses is called to the following requirements:

HOW TO APPLY

On application to the Clerk of the Commission at our office, blanks will be furnished to those desiring to make application for licenses.

The application must state clearly the location of the building for which the license is desired, naming all entrances, regular or bulkhead, and must also state the number of rooms on each floor to be used for the sale, use or storage of liquor. It must be signed with the full names of each applicant and must state the interest of each applicant in the license, whether financial or otherwise.

Any person making application for a license must personally appear before the commission upon written request in order that he may be questioned in reference thereto, and the commission may require any statement which may be made before it and papers which may be filed with it, relative to applications for licenses, to be sworn to before a member of the commission or the clerk thereof.

Applications must be made between the dates of March 13 and March 25, 12 o'clock, noon hour.

OBJECTIONS

Notice of all applications for licenses shall, at the expense of the applicant, to be paid in advance, be published in some Lowell newspaper at least 10 days before the commission will act thereon.

If, before the expiration of the 10 days following the publication of the notice as above set forth, the owner of any real estate within 25 feet of the premises described in an application for a license to be exercised by a common victualler to sell liquors to be drunk on the premises, notifies the licensing board in writing that he objects to the granting of the license, no license to sell intoxicating liquors to be drunk on said premises shall be granted, unless the applicant therefor, shall, for the two years next preceding the date of his application, have held a license for the sale of intoxicating liquors upon said premises.

Other objections to the granting of the license, either on account of the unfitness of the applicant, or otherwise, may be made to the commission at any time before the application is acted upon. The laws of the commonwealth do not compel the licensing board to grand licenses in any case.

Upon objection being made to the granting of the license, except the objection by an adjoining owner of real estate as above provided, the commission may in its discretion, if so desired, grant a hearing to parties interested.

CHARLES H. HANSON,
GEORGE E. PUTNAM,
JOSEPH H. McGRATH,
The License Commission of the City of Lowell.

Women Need Swamp-Root

Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased.

Pain in the back, headache, loss of ambition, nervousness, are often times symptoms of kidney trouble.

Don't delay starting treatment. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a physician's prescription, obtained at any drug store, may be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Get a medium or large size bottle immediately from any drug store.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation, send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention The Lowell Sun.—Adv.

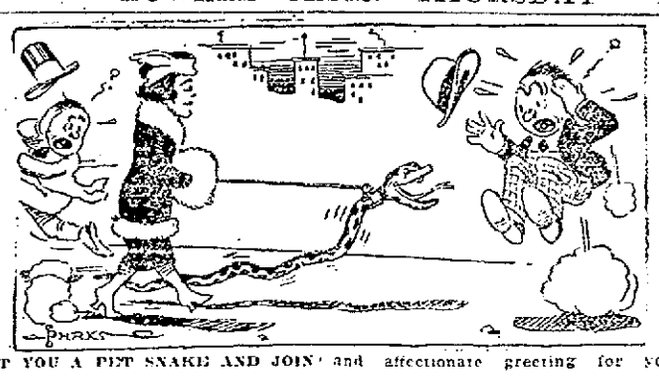
BRITISH NAVAL PLANS

To Apply Lessons Learned in the War in the Development of Fleet

LONDON, Wednesday, March 12.—In introducing the naval estimates for 280,000 officers, men and boys in the house of commons today, Walter Hume Long, first lord of the admiralty, said that until the peace conference decided what the world's armament for the future should be, it was idle to ask any naval expert to frame recommendations for the future.

He added that the British navy intended to apply the lessons it had learned in the war in the development of the fleet. The number of men for which the vote was asked was the maximum from which it was hoped to work down. Work had been stopped on a great number of ships of all classes which were under construction when the armistice was signed.

Mr. Long said that while avoiding any expenditure that could be avoided consistent with the safety of the country, the government felt that it was its duty to see that the navy was able to perform its double task of maintaining the integrity of the empire and playing a continuously leading part in preserving the peace of the world.



GET YOU A PET SNAKE AND JOIN THE R. S. S. OV A.

N. E. A. Special to The Sun

NEW YORK,—"Pretty, pretty! Oh, what a nice snake you have. What breed is he?"

That's a nice line of talk for a street corner meeting, but it may become common if the Reptile Study Society of America can convince any number of people that snakes are just the dearest pets.

Here are some of the arguments the R. S. S. of A. members advance for their choice:

Snakes take up little room.
They need be fed but rarely.
They are never noisy.
They are clean in their habits.
They may be left alone in the house for a week or even a month, and will be on deck with a lively and affectionate greeting for you when you return.

And certainly the relative points of merit of a pet cobra and a nice lively copperhead—each properly muzzled or de-fanged—should provide conversational material when conversation threatens to languish.

Allen S. William is president of the New York R. S. S. of A. and leads all snake hunts of that organization, except such as are pursued in the regions of the all night bright lights. He has a score of the pretty things.

HAS NOT HAD AN HOUR'S SICKNESS

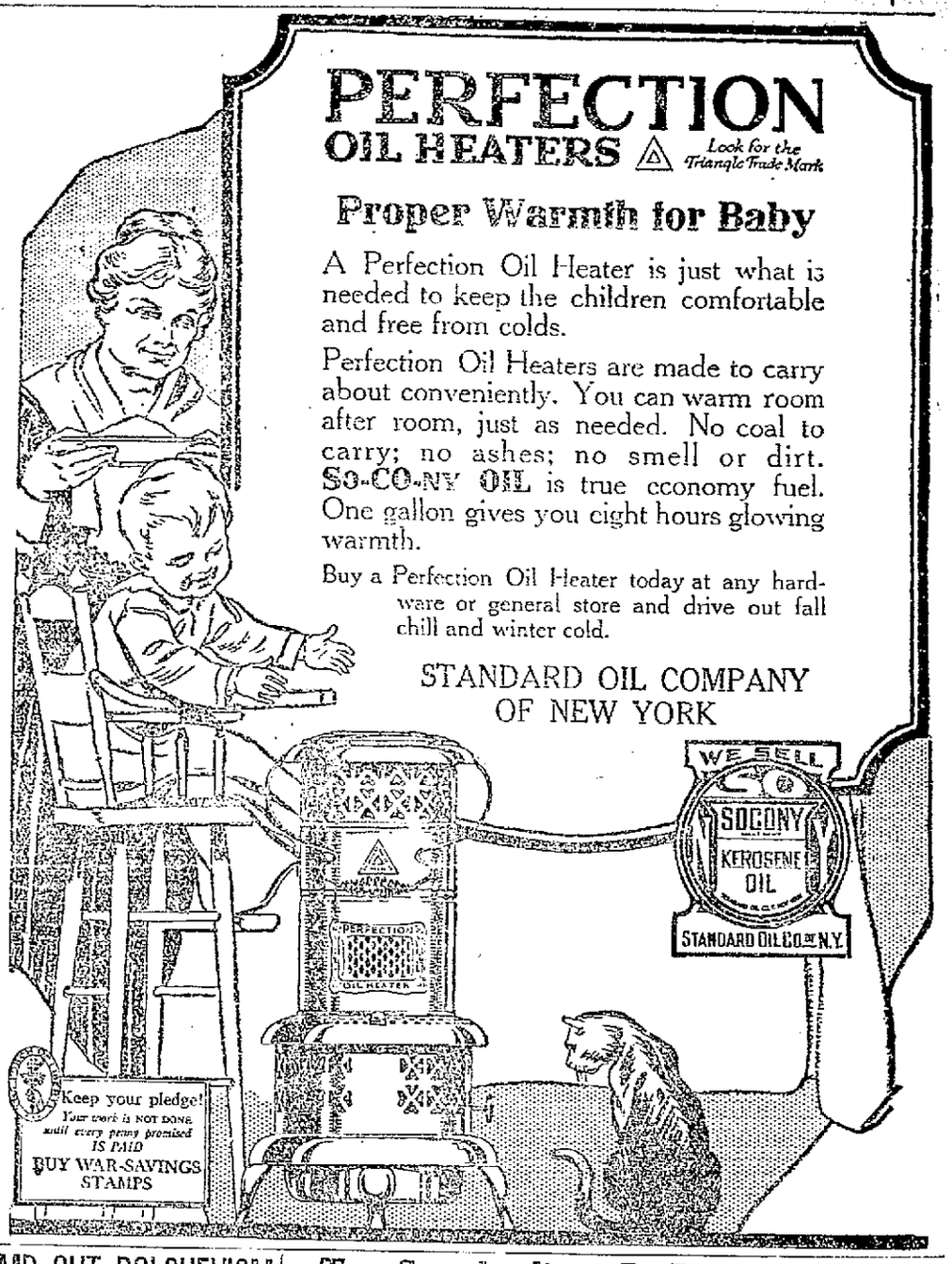
Since He Commenced To Take "Fruit-a-tives"

73 Lees Ave., Ottawa.

"Three years ago, I began to feel run-down and tired, and suffered very much from Liver and Kidney Trouble. Having heard of "Fruit-a-tives", I thought I would try them. The result was surprising.

I have not had an hour's sickness since I commenced using "Fruit-a-tives" or *Fruit Liver Tablets*, and I know now what I haven't known for a good many years—the blessing of a healthy body and clear thinking brain." WALTER J. MARRIOTT.

50c a box, 6 for $2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or from FRUIT-A-TIVES Limited OGDENSBURG, N. Y.



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At About Half Price

Friday morning we put on sale over 200 dozens Ladies' Fine Thread Silk Hosiery at

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3 Pairs for $2.00

The colors are black, white, dark brown, light brown, dark gray and light gray. Sizes 8 1-2 to 10.

Friday Night 4-HOUR Cash Specials

From 5.30 to 9.30 Only

Men's $30 Suits	$25.75
Men's $25 Spring Overcoats	$21.75
Men's $15 Raincoats	$11.75
Men's $4 Worsted Pants	$3.25
Men's $4 Soft or Stiff Hats	$3.25
Men's $2 Caps	$1.65
Men's $2 Shirts	$1.50
Men's $1.00 Neckwear	79c
Men's 25c Value Laundered Collars,	3 for 25c
Men's 35c Stockings	29c
Men's $2 Wool Underwear	95c
Men's $4 Odd Sweaters	$1.95
Men's $1.50 Work Shirts	$1.19
Boys' $15 Suits	$12.75
Boys' $3 All Wool Blue Serge Pants	$2.45
Boys' $1.25 Pants	95c
Boys' 39c Stockings	3 Pairs $1.00
Ladies' $6.98 New Waists	$5.98
Ladies' $1.98 New Waists	$1.49
Ladies' $18.50 Dresses	$13.75
Lades' $2.69 House Dresses	$1.98
Ladies' $1.69 Bungalow Aprons	$1.29
Ladies' $2 Umbrellas	$1.59

Merrimack Clothing Co.

ACROSS FROM CITY HALL OPEN FRIDAY NIGHT

STAMP OUT BOLSHEVISM

Dernburg Says if Germany Succeeds at Home, it Will Cause Decrease in Russia

PARIS, Wednesday, March 12.—"If Germany succeeds in crushing Bolshevism at home, it will cause it to decrease in Russia, since Bolshevism arises from an idealist phenomenon which needs success to keep it alvic," says Dr. Bernard Dernburg, former colonial secretary of the German government and at one time unofficial mouthpiece for Emperor William in the United States, in an interview at Weimar, published in the Echo de Paris. "When calm is restored," he continued, "Germany will be able to plan economic action to the east to stamp out Bolshevism. Germany's best plan, in my opinion, would be to go ahead as quickly as possible with social reforms. It must be proved to the German people that their rulers are doing everything possible to relieve them materially and to help them to develop themselves morally and intellectually.

"That is, I believe, the view of the existing government, and I have reason to believe that these methods will give good results."

ARE ACCUSED OF BEING AVOWED ANARCHISTS

NEW YORK, March 13.—Charges of being avowed anarchists were preferred against three men and one woman, today, the only persons held after a raid last night on a building in East 15th street, in which 162 men and women were arrested on suspicion of conection with the Bolsheviki.

The four detained are aliens, according to the police. The prisoners are being held subject to orders from federal officials.

ON CANADIAN LIST

OTTAWA, Ont., March 13. W. J. Price of Pawtucket, R. I., is ill, according to today's casualty list.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange anything try a Sun want ad.

WHAT GOOD IS WEALTH

If you are in poor health, if almost everything that you eat hurts you, frequent headaches, pains in the stomach, bad taste in the mouth, dark rings under the eyes, etc? The few of life is not worth living if you are a chronic sufferer from indigestion and Biliousness.

When the stomach is out of order, the liver not working properly, your heart is obliged to do so much extra work, that it causes palpitation, faintness, and if not checked becomes dangerous.

To feel fresh and fit for your daily duties, you must keep your stomach well, your liver active, and the bowels regular, you can not take a safer health condition by taking SEVEN BARKS, as a digestive tonic and stomach remedy, it has no equal, and 50 years of continuous sale proves its wonderful merit.

Get at the root of your indigestion and constipation trouble by driving all poisons out of your system for good. No matter how chronic your case is, you can get quick relief by taking nature's remedy, SEVEN BARKS; one bottle costing 50c will prove its value. After you have proven its wonderful efficiency, you will never be without it. Ask your druggist for it.

To Standardize R. R. Equipment

PARIS, Wednesday, March 12. (By the Associated Press.)—The French are making an effort, which probably will be successful in the end, to secure a report from the sub-committee on waterways and railways in favor of the standardization of equipment on continental railroads. This would permit the use of cars across national boundaries, which is now impossible owing to differences in couplings and other details of construction.

Such a step would tend to unify economic systems and reduce costs of transportation.

Carmen Strike in Barcelona

MADRID, Wednesday, March 12.—The street car employes at Barcelona went on strike today, and the minister of the interior announced that they were mobilized at once under government control. He declares that the same measure will be promptly applied to the employes of any other public utility corporation who go on strike.

FAMO STOPS SEBORRHEA THE DANDRUFF DISEASE

No other hair remedy even remotely resembles FAMO.

FAMO kills the dandruff germ and stops the unhealthy flow from the sebaceous glands.

Every ingredient in FAMO is well known to physicians.

But none of these ingredients were ever before applied to saving the hair.

Science perfected FAMO in one of the oldest pharmaceutical houses in Detroit—famous for its laboratories which supply physicians all over the world with medical goods.

FAMO not only kills the seborrhea microbe but it makes the scalp and hair as clean as that of a baby.

It ends all itching of the scalp.

Even where baldness has already appeared (unless the hair roots are absolutely dead) FAMO will encourage and stimulate the growth of new hair.

Many women say FAMO has caused their hair to grow from four to six inches.

FAMO retards grayness and strengthens the natural color. It contains no alcohol to dry the scalp and produce gray hairs.

It makes the hair luxuriant and lustreful and if there is a tendency to waviness FAMO intensifies it.

Famo should be used by every member of the family.

It can safely be used on the head of the baby as there is nothing in FAMO that will harm the tenderest scalp.

Used on the head of growing children it will make the most unruly hair lie flat and easy to comb.

Young women find FAMO a peculiarly fine hair dressing. It makes the hair fluffy and full of life.

If you have dandruff you have seborrhea.

Seborrhea is as dangerous to the hair as pyorrhea is to the teeth.

So if you have dandruff not a day should be lost in applying FAMO.

Not until FAMO has cleared your scalp of the deadly dandruff bacilli is your hair safe.

Even if you have no dandruff now you should use FAMO so that dandruff will be kept away and to make the hair fluffy and beautiful.

FAMO comes in two sizes—35 cents, and an extra large bottle at $1. It is sold at all toilet goods counters. Applications at all the better barber shops. Your money will be refunded if you are not satisfied.

Seborrhea is the medical name for a morbidly increased flow from the sebaceous glands of the scalp. The seborrheaic excretion forms in scales or flakes and is commonly known as dandruff.

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You Cannot be Constipated and Happy

Small Pill
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"REDS" THREATEN TO DESTROY CHURCH

STOUGHTON, March 13.—The Catholic parish church of Stoughton is under constant guard, following a threat made by a Bolshevik element among Lithuanian laborers here to blow it up because of the outspoken antagonism of Rev. James F. Stanton.

It became known yesterday that an investigation conducted by local authorities has revealed the existence of a secret society among the workers which has been holding regular meetings, at one of which the plot is supposed to have been hatched. Boston agents of the department of justice have been notified and a systematic attempt will be made to search out the leaders.

Following some very plain statements made by Fr. Stanton in his sermons, the Lithuanians, most of whom are employed in the Stoughton Rubber company, began the publication of a propagandist pamphlet, Kartas. It was written in Russian and contained considerable matter of an inflammable nature centring its attack upon the Catholic church. When one of the booklets was openly shown in the Stoughton Rubber company shops, Fr. Stanton protested to the management. At least four men were discharged as a result. This is thought to have led to the threat.

Fr. Stanton came to Stoughton 12 years ago. He has led an attack against the radical foreign element here since the first manifestation of Bolshevism.

CAMPS BURNED

Lowell Summer Camps Burned at Keyes' Pond

The summer camps of Henry L. Williams of the school department and Moses Hobson, engineer at the State Normal school, located at Keyes' pond in North Westford, were totally destroyed by fire Tuesday night, while the camps of Clarence M. Weed of the State Normal school and Louis Mercier, a resident of this city, were partly burned. It is believed that the fire was the work of an incendiary hand.

Late Tuesday night a small blaze was discovered on the piazza of the Mercier camp by George H. Burke of Westford, who was returning to his home after attending the drill of the state guard at the Westford town hall. He extinguished the blaze and later found traces of kerosene about the boards of the piazza. Mr. Burke then resumed his trip and later saw a big blaze in the vicinity of the pond and he gave the alarm. The Westford department responded, but the firefighters were unable to save the Williams and Hobson camps. The state police have been notified of the disastrous fire and an investigation will be conducted.

NO EXCUSE FOR RHEUMATISM

PEOPLE WHO GO AROUND COMPLAINING NOT ENTITLED TO SYMPATHY

No matter how many Rheumatic Remedies you have tried there is only one that's absolutely sure and certain.

Get a bottle of "Neutrone Prescription 99" at your druggist's today, take it faithfully and you'll be rid of all soreness, stiffness and swollen, aching, painful joints and muscles, after a few days.

Oh my; but "Neutrone Prescription 99" will surprise you, you can distinctly feel that overload of agony and pain leaving you and what a relief, so easy, it's fine.

Get a bottle today, you owe it to yourself, then say "goodbye trouble". 50c and $1.00 a bottle at all druggists. Mail orders filled on $1.00 size.

ROYAL
TODAY—LAST TIMES
Jack Richardson
In a Western Drama
WILLIAM RUSSELL
In "HOBUS IN A HURRY"
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In Episode of "LIGHTNING RAIDER."
—Others—

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE
Where the Drama is Spoken
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—THIS WEEK—
Matinee Daily, 2.10 (Except Friday)
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THE NEW YORK SUCCESS
"Broken Threads"
By the Author "A Stitch in Time"
FRIDAY—ZOO CLUB NIGHT
SATURDAY MATINEE
Reception by
LOUISE GERARD-HUNTINGTON
NEXT WEEK Commencing Monday Matinee.....
"WOMAN AGAINST WOMAN"
With Jane Salisbury, Louise Gerard-Huntington, Julian Noa, Arthur Buchanan, in the best parts they have played in Lowell.

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—TONIGHT—
"The Great Love"
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Twice Daily, 2 and 7.45—Tel. 28.
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THREE EDDIES
Those Funny Clowns
CURZON SISTERS
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In "AT THE SODA FOUNTAIN"
SWIFT & DALEY
In Musical Nonsense
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PETITION TO FORM A NEUTRAL REPUBLIC

VIENNA, Wednesday, March 12 (By the Associated Press).—The inhabitants of the German language islet of Gottschee, in Carniola, consisting of one fair-sized town and 171 villages, have presented the American commission under Prof. A. C. Coolidge of Harvard, which is in this city studying Austro-Hungarian problems, a memorandum for transmission to Paris and Washington, asking permission for the formation of a neutral republic under the protectorate of the American people.

The memorandum embodies a complaint of oppression by the Slovene authorities. It points out that half the population of the Gottschee consists of former emigrants from it to the United States, many of them American citizens, and that the pre-war relations between Gottschee and the United States were such that the dollar circulated nearly as much as the crown and was accepted by everyone.

R. I. MAY DISPUTE "DRY" ACT LEGALITY

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 13.—A proposal to have Rhode Island dispute the legality of federal prohibition was made in the general assembly yesterday. A resolution was introduced in the lower branch which would authorize the attorney general to take the steps necessary to obtain prompt determination by the supreme court of the United States or the constitutionality of the act of congress in proposing the prohibitory amendment.

It is asserted in the resolution that the 18th amendment does not in fact amend our system of government, but instead "completely alters and transforms" it; that amendment "constitutes a revolutionary transformation of the government," that it is destructive of the constitution. The fact that two successive legislatures of this state have refused to ratify the amendment is stated as a further reason for the proposed proceedings.

The resolution introduced by Representative Jacob A. Eaton of this city was referred to the committee on judiciary. It is understood that it will have the support of leaders in the lower branch.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A regular meeting of the members of Lowell lodge, L.O.O.M. was held last evening in Odd Fellows' building, Middlesex street with Director Edward Goodson in the chair. A feature of the meeting was the nomination of officers, the election to be held at a later date. Interesting remarks were made by Messrs. Drouin, Hersome, Demmons and Green. It was announced that a smoker will be held in connection with the class initiation Sunday afternoon, March 16 and that the speakers will be Hon. James E. O'Donnell and Hon. John T. Sparks.

Pythian Sisters

Routine business was transacted at the regular meeting of the members of Dorcas temple, Pythian Sisters, which was held last evening. It was announced that the election of officers will be held March 26, and the members were informed that those who are planning to visit the S. Louise Gale temple at Lawrence March 19, will leave on the 4.30 o'clock car from Merrimack square.

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CHAMP CLARK'S DENIAL

Declares Man Who Said He States League Had No Chance Is "Malicious Liar"

ATLANTA, Ga., March 13.—Champ Clark in a signed statement given out here, denies that he said the League of Nations had no chance to be ratified by the United States senate.

"Anybody who says that I said 'President Wilson's League of Nations has as much chance of being ratified as you have of being pope of Rome,' is a malicious liar," Mr. Clark declares. "I have studiously avoided discussion in my lectures or in interviews, though asked to do so in both.

"I gave as a reason that I was studying the subject and the arguments on both sides, thoroughly. When the news came over to the house the last night of the session that 50 senators had signed a round robin against it, I said that the League of Peace could not be ratified because it takes two-thirds to ratify—that is unless they changed their minds, because of amendments or for other reasons—all of which is a mathematical demonstration.

"I never spoke to Congressman Mays on the subject in my life, and it so happened that I had no conversation with him about anything for a good while as I had no reason to do so.

"When I have had time to study the subject in all its bearings, I probably will give full expression to my views.

"This Mays canard is part and parcel of the campaign which he and others are making to disorganize and factionalize the democrats in the house."

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The price of coal for 1919-20 will be higher all over New England and the quality will be better. The Lajoie coal company has completed arrangements with four companies for the highest grade of coal mined and these coals include Old Company Lehigh, Lackawanna, real Jeddo and Franklin, Kingston and the companies' own brand, the Keystone. All these coals rank among the best that are produced. While coal will be higher in price the quality will be such that the heat units and the lasting power will make the price actually lower as it won't require so much coal when the slate is practically all removed. The reason for a higher price this year is because the mines will hold for the present price, April 1st, instead of dropping the usual fifty cents, and on May 1st, will begin a monthly advance on the price until September 1st.

Dr. Garfield has stated that were the fuel administration to have continued he would have allowed a higher price per ton at the mines. As to the justice of this the Lajoie Coal Co. knows nothing, but assumes it must be sound as the decision of the fuel administration was reached after an exhaustive study of conditions by the federal trade bureau.

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TODAY—COLONIAL THEATRE—TODAY
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GROCERS AND BUTCHERS

President J. J. Allard occupied the chair at the regular meeting of the Lowell Grocers' and Butchers' association, which was held last evening in Elks' hall, Middle street. Several communications of importance were read by the secretary and routine business was transacted. The members stood in silence in memory of their late brother, Daniel J. Donovan. At the close of the business session a social hour was held during which a buffet luncheon was served.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange anything try a Sun want ad.

Sporting News and Newsy Sports

ARE READY FOR BOUT

De Foe and Hayes Clash at Local Club Tonight—The Other Bouts

Billy De Foe and Johnny Hayes are ready for their bout at tonight's meeting of the Crescent A.A. and indications point to a thrilling mill. Both are aggressive and fast working performers and each is confident of landing the verdict. De Foe is particularly anxious to pull down the award for he is now in line for a match with Johnny Kilbane.

De Foe proved to be one of the classiest boxers that has ever showed in Lowell in his contest with Al Shubert and the fact that Shubert refuses to make a return match with him at the local club leads us to believe that the terrific body punches which lifted Shubert from the floor on several occasions were doing a great deal more damage than the ordinary observer had any idea.

Tonight's contest will be at catch weight which will allow both men to come good and strong at the weight that suits him best, which will be approximately 127 pounds each.

Billy Lewis of Lawrence and Joe Armstrong of Lowell will meet in the semi final and there will be two preliminaries, with four Lowell boys the principals.

HIGGINS SCORES THREE GOALS IN TWO MINUTES

WORCESTER, March 13.—Worcester defeated Lawrence in an interesting polo game last night, 6 to 3. A feature was the caging of three goals by Higgins in two minutes in the final period, after Hardy had tied the score. The summary:

WORCESTER		LAWRENCE
Taylor, lr		lr, Fahrner
Higgins, 2r		2r, Quigley
O'Brien, c		c, Harrold
Morrison, hb		hb, Hardy
Maxwell, g		g, Blount

Goals—Taylor 3, Higgins 3, Quigley 2, Hardy 1, Fowls—Hardy. Stops—Maxwell 32, Blount 11. Referee—Graham.

AMERICAN POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost
Lowell	49	35
Salem	45	37
Providence	42	41
Worcester	37	40
New Bedford	35	42
Lawrence	35	46

POLO NOTES

Barney Doherty and his Gold Bugs from Providence will be with us tomorrow night. It was stated that last Friday night's game was the last that Providence would play here, but that was a mistake. They will be here tomorrow night and also later on. We're glad of it, for Providence always plays a fast, clean and scientific game and have given the locals much trouble this season.

WALTER CAMP DECLINES A.A.U. PRESIDENCY

NEW HAVEN, March 13.—Walter Camp, the mentor of Yale athletics for the past 24 years, who has recently been approached as a possibility for the presidency of the Amateur Athletic union, today declared that because of his private business he would be unable to accept the honor.

"I regard it as a very great honor to have been considered as head of the A.A.U., a body which has made such a record for the advancement of athletic sports," he said.

"One of the reasons why I regret so keenly that I could not accept these honors and assume these duties, is because I believe that there is a new field for the development of sport throughout not only this country but the entire world. Every boy and man, every girl and woman, has a heritage of health in play, and I believe that the greatest field for our endeavor will be that of industrial athletics, and in this all of our most powerful organizations should become factors.

"The man who gets some sport in his spare time, whether he be president, director, superintendent or worker, is the one who soonest loses his dissatisfaction with life and finds that that kind of relaxation has no 'comeback,' no headache or discomfort.

"We have the finest example of all in President Wilson and his golf. We have the greatest incentive left us in the words and life of ex-President Roosevelt.

"With the help of the A. A. U. and the new boxing board, and all our national athletic bodies, we are on the eve of the broadest developments we have ever seen."

SHARPE MAY COACH YALE FOOTBALL

NEW HAVEN, March 13.—A report was current on the Yale campus yesterday that Al Sharpe, veteran athletic coach at Cornell university, will coach the Yale football team next fall, replacing Tad Jones.

K. OF C. BOWLING LEAGUE

The Isabellas and the Trinidads were the winners in the K. of C. Bowling league Tuesday evening. The scores:

ISABELLAS

Sullivan	81	84	97	262
Kelley	83	83	70	236
Moloney 1st	80	81	99	260
Lane	110	84	86	280
Joe Donohoe	98	105	87	290
Totals	455	437	433	1325

GENOAS

Qualey	79	71	91	241
Ahearn	66	76	84	226
E. Connors	87	80	77	244
Queenan	80	78	76	234
Erigran	72	96	92	260
Totals	384	401	420	1205

SAN SALVADORS

Callahan	84	97	100	281
T. O'Neil	80	80	82	242
C. Donohoe	79	76	74	229
J. Keefe	106	106	102	314
Savage	117	81	87	285
Totals	466	450	445	1361

TRINIDADS

Stapleton	81	99	94	274
O'Malley	91	99	80	270
Jas. Donohoe	79	77	100	256
Slattery	102	96	93	291
Noonan	94	105	102	301
Totals	447	476	472	1395

KITTREDGE MINOR LEAGUE

The following is the standing and averages in the Kittredge Minor league to date:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Kittredge	39	9	81.3
Mathews	31	14	70.5
Mohicans	24	20	54.5
Lawrence	20	24	45.4
Baldwins	11	26	30.0
Royal Rs	11	36	23.0

Individual percentages—Irish 103.22, White 102.6, King 103.1, Curry 102.11, Lillie, 102.10, Ringwood 102.7, Bowers 101.37, Whitelock 100.21, Maloney 100.13, Panton 100.11, Mahoney 101.9, Riley 100, Ryan 99.3, Eastham 99.1, Dean 99.1, F. Ouimette 98.25, Neault 97.11, Sewell 97, Swindell 97, Davis 95.27, Purtell 94.11, Hague 92.18, Andreoli 91.19, A. McMahon 91.10, Simard 99.10, Scott 90.

LAID DOWN FOR JESS

Jack Johnson Says Bout With Willard Was Fixed —Still Claims Title

HAVANA, Wednesday, March 12.—Jack Johnson, former heavyweight champion, in a signed statement tonight, declared that his fight with Jess Willard in this city four years ago was a prearranged affair and that he allowed Willard to win. In addition to the sum of $30,000, Johnson says he received the entire rights to the fight film in Europe and 34 1-3 per cent. of the proceeds from their exhibition in the United States, with the promise of aid to settle his difficulties with the federal authorities in Chicago so that he might return there to reclaim his property and see his mother.

He declares that it was arranged that he should lose in the tenth round, provided Willard's showing was such as to justify it, but that as Willard was doing practically nothing, he was forced to wait. The signal agreed upon was given in the 20th round, Johnson states, but he waited until the 26th round to give Willard an opportunity to make a good showing.

Johnson declares that unless Willard agrees to fight him within a reasonable time, he will claim the world's title. He signed his statement: "Jack Johnson, champion."

Col. D'Estrampes, former congressman, who is backing Johnson, says that he is willing to battle Willard anywhere in the United States, the proceeds to go to the Clark Griffith bat and ball fund, or to any charity. The colonel has wired Bat Masterson of New York, asking for the addresses of Dempsey and Fulton, with the idea of arranging a match in Havana, between either of them and Johnson. He said in his cablegram that Johnson is "disposed to defend the world's championship" against either of these men.

Johnson's Statement

Johnson's statement in part follows: "To arrange the match, Jack Curley came to London from New York. He asked me if I was willing to fight Willard and I said I would if he gave me my price. I thought I could beat his man for him. Curley said he didn't want that. I told Curley I'd make the match.

"When ready to leave London, I wired Curley for a certain sum of money, which he readily sent. Well, it went on and began to bother me and I spoke to my wife, who advised me not to do it, but I told her that if I was going to lose, I'd send her word in time to get out. The reason I said that was because there was more money coming to me and I did not want to lose until I found out they would pay me the sum asked for and guaranteed that they would get me out of trouble in America, the most important thing for me.

"Then we figured on the best round to lose in and agreed upon the tenth. They were to give the word in the first three or four rounds if Willard could make a good showing.

"At the end of the tenth round, Willard's showing had been so poor it was necessary to continue the fight further. The signal agreed upon was given in the 20th round, but I considered Willard's showing so poor I was forced to wait until the 26th before carrying out the agreement.

"I was to have all the moving picture rights in Europe and 33 1-3 per cent of those in America and Canada.

"When I finally received the moving picture film, it was a blank one. I took it to the best film experts in Europe but it was found to be worthless.

"Everybody knows how anxious I was to straighten out the little Chicago difference. I would have done almost anything in reason to be able to visit my mother, who was old and feeble.

"Unless Willard agrees to fight within a reasonable time, which he should do to prove, if he can, that he beat me fairly, I shall claim the world's title."

Willard Calls Story "Joke"

LAWRENCE, Kan., March 13.—"Jack Johnson simply needs the money and is trying to put over another match," was the comment of Jess Willard when shown the statement received from Havana today in which Johnson claimed the championship bout with Willard four years ago was a prearranged affair.

"There is absolutely nothing to it," Willard confirmed. "I refuse to dignify the statement with a denial for as far as I am concerned, it is simply a crude joke.

"In view of the fact that there were sport writers and fight critics from all over the world in Havana when I won the championship from Johnson, it is foolish to suppose that a fake could have been perpetrated even if I had been so low as to countenance such an arrangement.

"Johnson's game is almost childish in its simplicity, and you may say for me that I refuse to fall for it. I do not intend to fight Johnson again or any other colored man."

CITY BOWLING LEAGUE

Result of the games in the city bowling league with appended standing and averages:

CRESCENTS

Jewett	91	107	94	292
Concannon	93	126	100	319
Johnson	80	83	82	245
Lebrun	106	99	99	304
Kelley	103	110	95	308
Totals	483	519	480	1485

HIGHLAND DAYLIGHTS

Hall	108	101	81	290
Kempton	86	101	97	284
Luce	86	94	114	294
Estes	102	93	99	294
Martel	90	102	103	295
Totals	473	491	487	1451

WHITE WAYS

Brigham	93	85	107	285
Sweeney	103	93	85	281
Griffin	117	114	85	316
Dwyer	100	93	101	294
Devlin	106	113	104	323
Totals	519	499	482	1501

U. S. CARTRIDGE CO.

Perrin	90	99	96	285
Schomhom	96	92	91	279
Myrick	95	97	97	289
Flanders	97	116	98	311
Whipple	105	93	101	299
Totals	483	497	483	1463

STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pins
Highland Daylights	44	20	24070
Crescents	34	30	23865
White Ways	26	38	23890
U.S. Cartridge Co.	26	38	23532

AVERAGES

Martel 107.12, Whipple 103.25, Kelley 102.3, Brigham 101.2, Devlin 100.25, Estes 100.12, Lebrun 99.37, Jewett 99.31, Dwyer 99.22, Concannon 99.15, Cole 99.2, Hall 98.19, Flanders 98.3, Schomhom 98.1, Perrin 97.26, Johnson 97.8, Sweeney 97.18, Kempton 96.17, Myrick 96.6, Griffin 100.25.

WOMEN'S TENNIS TOURNEY

NEW YORK, March 13.—Semi-final matches in the women's national indoor championship tennis tournament at the Seventh Regiment armory today brought Boston players against New Yorkers for the singles title.

In the semi-final matches today for the doubles title, the pairings were as follows:

Mrs. Spencer F. Weaver and Miss Eleanor Goss, present title holders, versus Mrs. Wightman and Miss Sutherstein; Mrs. Green and Miss Natalie Browning versus Mrs. Albert Humphries and Miss Bessie G. Holden.

162 TAKEN IN N. Y. RAID

Four Held For Having Literature Advocating Overthrow of Government

NEW YORK, March 13.—All but four of the 160 men and two women who were taken to the criminal courts building in East 15th street were released after being questioned by immigration officials, police and secret service men.

Those arrested were Molly Steimer, 21 years old, sentenced to 15 years imprisonment for violation of the espionage law, but at liberty pending appeal to the supreme court; Marcus Ordowsky, aged 24, manager of Bread and Freedom, a periodical; Peter Bianaro, aged 27, secretary of the Russian Union of Peasant Workers of America, and Arthur Kelezes, aged 22, a printer. They are charged with having in their possession literature advocating the overthrow of the government.

The East 15th street building was occupied by the Union of Russian Peasant Workers of America. All of those taken to criminal courts were questioned regarding their ideas of government, their recent movements and sources of income.

The raid was decided upon after police who had been on guard in the vicinity for two weeks announced that 162 persons had been seen to enter the building, which had long been suspected to be headquarters for radicals recently arrived from Russia.

LOWELL MEN IN MEET

Mansur, Mullane and Darling To Compete in Boston Athletic Games

Lowell will be represented at the New England athletic championships at the East armory in Boston Saturday night by Warren Mansur and Pat Mullane, high jumper and distance runner, respectively, of the local high school track team. Mansur will compete in the jump, while Mullane is entered in the handicap six hundred. Mansur does not expect to win, by any means, as he will be up against Walter Whalen, Harry Barwise and other cracks, but it is a cinch that the Lowell captain will stick with them for most of the distance, and it will give him the best sort of practice. Mullane doesn't know what his handicap will be, but the boy is strong enough to stand a lot of roughing and driving, of which there is always a plenty in a large field, and should be close up at the finish. If he makes his race all the way from the gun he has an excellent chance.

The meet has one feature that promises to be one of the best of the indoor year—the 1000-yard run, which has Dave Caldwell, Jimmy Connolly and Gordon Nightingale as entrants. Many people are backing the Woburn lad to win, but if Caldwell ever gets his 11th-hour burst in working order it is "good night" to Connolly and all the rest of the field.

Mansur, Mullane and Darling of the local team will also take in the schoolboy meet in Boston on Saturday, March 22. Here Mansur will again meet John Feeney of English high, and with spiked shoes the Lowell jumper hopes to make things even up for the defeat he received at Feeney's hands at the Huntington school meet. Darling is well capable of clearing 5 feet 6 inches, which ought to land him in third place. It will be his first outside competition and will do him worlds of good. Mullane will probably run in the "thousand."

BOYLE A VERY BUSY BOXER

Pinney Boyle of Lowell, who is to meet Young Dixon at Lawrence tonight, is one of the busiest boxers in this section. He has two big bouts on for next month. On April 1 he will tackle Charley Parker in Boston and the following week he will meet Harry Carlson in the Hub. He announced before leaving for Lawrence today that he was in great condition for tonight's bout and felt confident of winning.

Word came from Lawrence today that Dixon, who was a sergeant in the army, and his manager, Lieut. Kennedy, arrived in the down river city this morning. It was said that Dixon was in fine shape and confident of victory.

Boyle and his friends will leave Lowell at 7.15 tonight.

KAISER PLANNED TO FLEE TO SWEDEN IN SEPT.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—William Hohenzollern, two months before the armistice was signed, planned an asylum in Sweden, but was prevented from going to that country by the Swedish government, diplomatic advices made public today disclose.

His plans had reached the point where a deal was virtually closed for him to rent Castle Stora Sundby, situated on one of the large lakes in the centre of Sweden, about four hours' run by train from Stockholm. The castle is owned by old friends, Prince and Princess Wedel.

Preparations for his reception went so far that vast sums were spent in putting the castle in repair, and comment was critical in the vicinity because of the scarcity and cost of materials in Sweden at that time.

When the Swedish government learned the purpose to which the castle was to be put, representations were made and William Hohenzollern changed his plans, with the result that in a few weeks he fled to another castle in Holland.

HARVARD BASEBALL SCHEDULE

CAMBRIDGE, March 13.—Several changes in the Harvard varsity baseball schedule were announced today. The second Brown university contest, set for May 31, will be delayed until June 2. The proposed game with the Boston National club has been dropped from the schedule and the fourth game of the season will be played with the University of Havana nine, April 19, at Soldiers' field.

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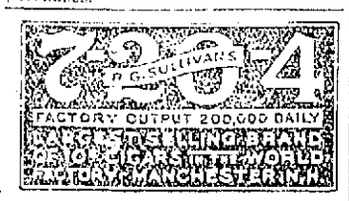

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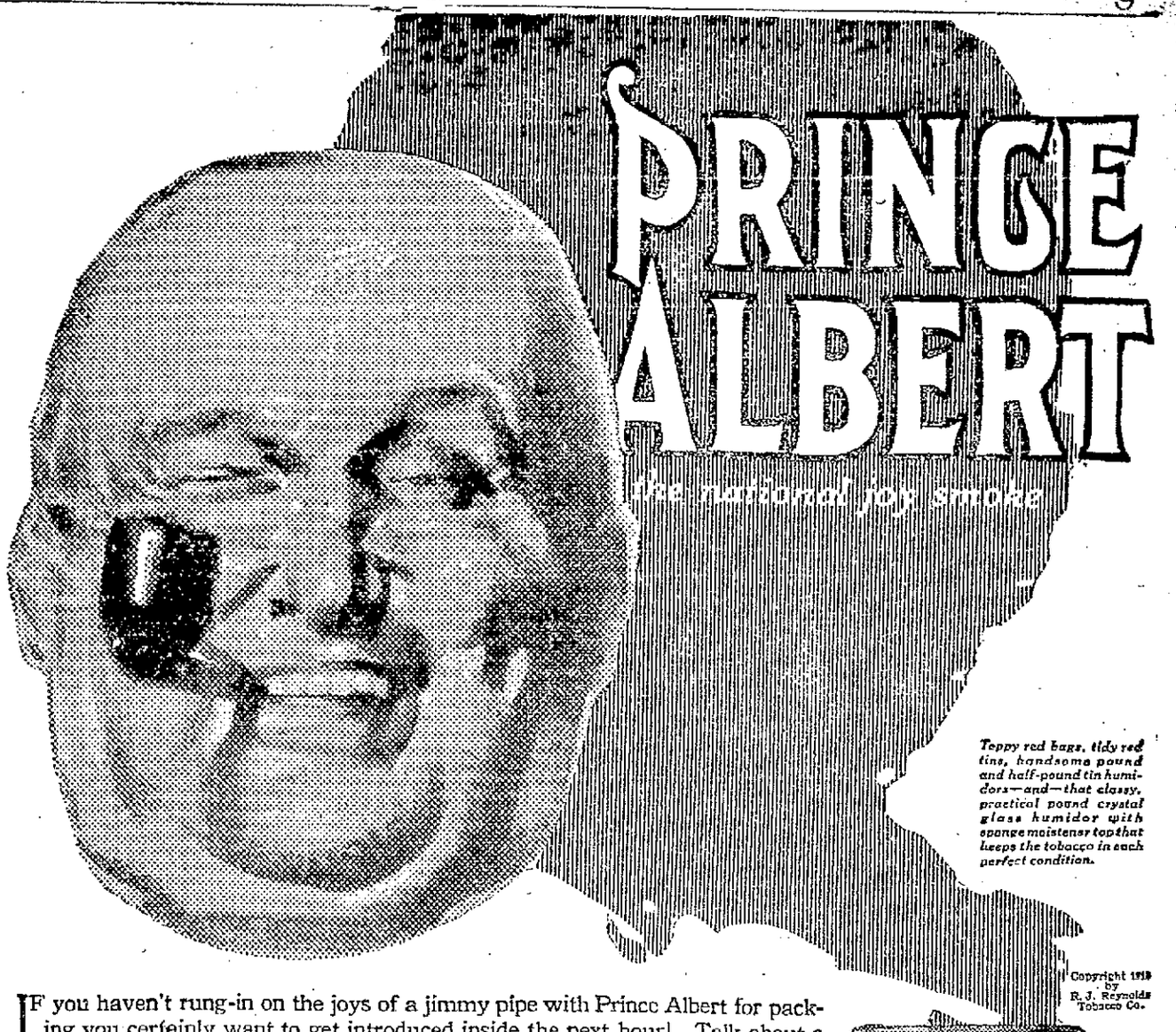

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EUROPE WANTS TEXTS OF LEAGUE DEBATE

BOSTON, March 13.—Applications for tickets to the debate on the League of Nations between Senator Henry Cabot Lodge and Pres. A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard university in Symphony hall, March 19, must be made to the committee on arrangements, composed of Louis A. Coolidge and Robert M. Washburn, representing Senator Lodge, and Rev. Edward Cummings and Courtenay Crocker, for President Lowell, before 12 noon Saturday.

Not more than two tickets will be issued to one person. Telephone applications will not be considered. Tickets will be mailed to successful applicants, so that they will be received Wednesday morning, the day of the debate.

An addressed return envelope, with proper postage, must accompany applications, which are to be directed to "Committee on Arrangements Lodge-Lowell Debate, 40 Mt. Vernon street, Boston."

From all parts of the United States, London, Paris, and other European centers requests have been made for the full text of the proceedings, and the news agencies are planning to install direct wires from the hall to the principal newspaper and cable offices of the country, providing the management gives permission.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

Below is what the press agents of the different theatres say of the current attractions and of others to come later.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Old timers who have seen Lillian Shaw, appearing at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week, are unanimous in their opinion that she is positively the best character artist seen on a Lowell stage in a long time. Her work shows deep study, particularly into a certain type of Hebrew character. In this she is at her very best, although the Italian number she gives is artistically done. She is naturally the hit of the week. William H. McCart and Ethlynne Bradford in "Love, Honor and Obey" are tried and true performers, who are specially good in comedy work. The little play, which was written by Mr. McCart, is a swift-moving affair with an unusual finish to it. The best girl performers of the season are the Wilton Sisters, who sing and dance and talk and play the violin and the piano. The girls have much ability, and are guaranteed to hold up the show at every performance. Pantomimists that tell a whole story with their hands and their faces are the Three Eddles, and others on the bill are the Curzon Sisters, maxilary artists, Wallace & Drew in a skit and Swift & Daley in a musical novelty.

THE STRAND

Virginia Pearson in "The Love Auction" will be one of the chief attractions on the bill at The Strand for the last three days of the week. In this offering the star will be seen in the role of a young woman who is courted by two men. On the one hand is money and on the other true love. She believes herself justified in choosing the moneyed representative and enters into marriage. For a time she enjoys a degree of happiness, but one day she discovers that her husband is addicted to drink. Further investigation discloses the fact that he is a habitual drunkard and before long his actions become unbearable. Then the other suitor, now possessed of wealth, puts in an appearance, and the old love is revived. Matters become greatly involved and the picture leads to a stirring climax, the details of which are revealed by the picture itself. Miss Pearson appears resplendent in the leading role, giving her whole self to the part and acting with a fine show of emotionalism. She is supported by Hugh Thompson, Edward Stanley and others. See it.

"Woman, Woman!" is the unique title of the photoplay starring Evelyn Nesbit. The piece gives her further opportunity to demonstrate her ability in emotional and highly dramatic scenes and portrayals. It's the story of a girl who believes that destiny calls her to the metropolis. Her experiences with three men form the basis of the play and rest assured, they are experiences that keep the spectator ever on the alert.

Ray Hughes, impersonator of Charlie Chaplin, will provide an extra feature for the week-end. Don't fail to see this comedian, whose antics, while not all original, have a marked degree of entertaining power behind them.

The soloist for the week, Miss Clemence Simard, the Lowell girl, is making a big hit with the patrons.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"Broken Threads" the week's production by the Emerson All Star Players at the Lowell Opera House is scoring a pronounced hit. The play is a decidedly amusing one in which the engaging cast finds chance of working out new phases of their ability as actors and actresses of the exceptional type.

On Saturday afternoon Miss Louise Girard Huntington will hold a reception immediately after the performance and the public generally is cordially invited to attend.

Next week, "Woman Against Woman," a story concerning a battle of wits between two women, with the prize a man, will be the offering. Jane Salisbury, Julian Noa, Louise Girard Huntington and Arthur Buchanan will be seen in their best parts. The play is by Frank Harvey.

WELCOME HOME TO LOWELL FIGHTERS

Centralvilles "welcome home" to the Lowell boys who fought and won promises to be an event that will long be remembered, if the present plans of the people of that section, led by "Jimmy" McNamara, do not miscarry.

A mass meeting will be held at the rooms of the Princeton club Sunday afternoon to make further and more definite plans for the big day, and several speakers will be present and address the gathering, among them being Representatives Achin, Jewett, Brennan and McMahon, former Representative Charles H. Slowey and K. of C. Secretary John Salmon. Mr. McNamara has also promised to have the Moonlight orchestra on hand for the occasion.

Officers for the undertaking will be elected from the floor and the following clubs will be represented among the audience: The Ponies, Princetons, Beacons, Mysterics, Falsons, Maples, Hildreths, Riversides, Navy Yard and representatives from the churches and French and Polish organizations.

WAY CLEAR TO SEVENTY-FIVE CENT GAS

Special to The Sun

STATE HOUSE, Boston, March 13.—Seventy-five cent gas is a workable business proposition and if the state takes steps to bring this about can be assured the consumer within a few years, Philip Cabot, president of the Turners Falls Light & Power company told the committee on public lighting yesterday in discussing the gas situation of the state.

"When some cities are paying as high as $1.60 a thousand cubic feet for the illuminant it seems far fetched to suggest that the rate can be more than cut in half," said Mr. Cabot, "but the fact remains true nevertheless.

"The low price can be brought about by combining the gas manufacturing plants of the commonwealth. Under the individual method of operation it is impossible to secure profits in the turning out of by-products. These when utilized to their fullest extent more than pay for the cost of the coal itself. The result is that the gas is obtained for virtually nothing, it in reality becoming the real by-product."

Mr. Cabot estimated that gas constitutes 80 per cent of the value of what is produced from each ton of coal. The remaining 20 per cent is represented by the elements available for the manufacture of coal tar, benzol, ammonia and coke. Continuing, he said:

"The coke which could be produced by ovens in this state, and which would have the full fuel equivalent of anthracite, would find a ready market as a substitute for domestic anthracite, it being especially suitable for smelting purposes. The other by-products would also command a ready sale."

He said that there are 58 companies manufacturing as in Massachusetts now. He believed that not more than 12 should operate, these to take in the other companies for the purpose of developing sufficient financial strength to operate on a large scale. "That is the only method by which the full value of the by-product can be assured," he said.

"The production and distribution of gas is done today in substantially the same way it was 50 years ago," said Mr. Cabot. "We are fond of saying that business is standardized. The phrase sounds well but to judge from some of the comment heard of late it might be said that we are ossified.

"Despite the standardization in the manner of conducting business, however, prices are far from being standard. The public is entering a vigorous protest at their constant advances. Yet unless a way is found to reduce the cost of making and distributing gas these prices must go still higher. Our lighting companies, while they are in a fairly staple condition today must remember the misfortunes of the transportation companies and adopt measures now for the protection of themselves and of the public."

Asked why the companies had not heretofore combined, Mr. Cabot asserted that this course was deemed inadvisable because of the public outcry which would ensue about the combination of huge amounts of capital.

He made the suggestion that the board of gas and electric light commissioners make a thorough study into the question of bringing about the consolidation of all the companies in the state to not more than 10 or 12.

"I am convinced that this is the only way out of the dilemma," he concluded. "In this way and in no other way can the business be kept upon a sound basis, the public agitation quieted and government ownership, regarded by many as a panacea, avoided."

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REPORT ON IMPROVING HALE'S BROOK

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, March 13.—The special report of the state department of health on improving Hale's brook was the subject of a public hearing yesterday before the legislative committee on public health. Under this report it is estimated the cost of the improvement, including the drainage of the land in the Highland district and establishing the park system at the point where the brook runs into the Merrimack river, would be $172,000. Of this amount $150,000 would come within the city of Lowell and $22,000 in the town of Chelmsford.

Representative Thomas J. Corbett spoke in favor of the proposed improvement, which is a health measure, and suggested that the committee prepare a draft of a bill based on the recommendations of the health department. The committee adopted the attitude that the proposition is purely a local one and said the state should not be called upon to meet any of the expense.

Mr. Corbett said the bill might contain a provision giving the city of Lowell and the town of Chelmsford a term of from one to five years to make the improvement and pay for it on the basis suggested in the recommendations. At the end of the term, if the project had not been carried out, the state department of health would be empowered to go through with it and assess the cost as it seemed just.

The Hale's brook improvement, it was pointed out, has been "everybody's business and nobody's business" for the past 20 years. Mr. Corbett informed the committee that this year something should be done, and it is expected that Representative Owen E. Brennan of Lowell, a member of the committee, will assist him in procuring the necessary legislation.

HOYT.

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MEMORIAL FOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

A fitting memorial in some form will be placed in the Lowell high school as an honor roll of its graduates who have served in the army or navy during the war. Just what it will consist of has not been decided upon, but it is the general feeling among the school authorities that prominent recognition should be given these men.

Many high schools are making similar plans, the school at Salem being among the first to place such a tablet in its hall. Of course, it will take some time to compile a full and correct list of names, and it would not be safe to attempt it until more local men have returned from overseas, but some definite action will be taken just as soon as it seems advisable.

One expressed idea of a tablet is of bronze, inscribed with the names of all graduates who have served, with a star opposite the names of those who have died in the service. It would hold a position of high honor in the school.

DRESSMAKER FOUND DEAD IN ROOM

Anna Brennan, a dressmaker residing at 68 Tyler street, was found dead in her room this morning. Dr. T. B. Smith, medical examiner, viewed the body later and pronounced death due to natural causes.

The woman, who was about 60 years of age, had been employed by the landlady at 68 Tyler street in making dresses for the past two weeks. Last night she retired at her usual hour and seemed well as usual. This morning a Miss Donovan, who is employed in the same house, found Miss Brennan lying in bed, life extinct and the medical examiner was notified.

INFANT MORTALITY

What is undoubtedly the lowest infant mortality rate that Lowell has ever had was the record for the week ending March 8, according to figures received at the office of the board of health today from the census bureau at Washington. Lowell's rate was 7.3 and she was the 39th city from the top among the larger cities of the country, or sixth from the bottom. Grand Rapids was the leader with a rate of 25.9; Fall River second with 22.2, and Worcester third with 21.1. Denver was low with 5.4 and the average was 12.9.

DIED OF DIPHTHERIA

Medical Examiner T. B. Smith has filed a finding of death from diphtheria in the case of Wing Lee, the Chinese laundryman, who was found dead in his shop at 364 Broadway yesterday noon. A few superficial marks on the body of the man led the merical examiner to make a more thorough investigation.

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This week's city payroll amounted to $26,450.97. The amoutn of the monthly draft to pay teachers was $43,863.35.

John Osmond Cummings of 8 Butterfield street, has been accepted by the United States shipping board for training in the merchant marine.

The following Lowell men were discharged from Camp Devens today: Lester McWayde, Jerry Bibeault, Oswald Suprenant, Walter Sanborn, David Richards, Francis Gargan and Peter Kudrancy.

Private James D. Sunderland of the 305th Infantry, who took part in the Chatean Thierry and Argonne forest drives, has returned to Lowell from France. Private Sunderland was wounded at Argonne forest October 5 and spent some time in a base hospital.

Miss Mary Driscoll of Boston and Miss Emily Skilton of this city spoke this afternoon in Middlesex hall on work among girls and other welfare problems. Miss Driscoll occupies a position in Boston similar to Miss Skilton here and each told many interesting phases of their work.

Francis J. O'Hare, agent of the board of health, was successful in passing his non-competitive examination for the position which he took several weeks ago, according to notification received today by Mayor Thompson from John C. Gilbert, secretary of the civil service commission. Mr. O'Hare attained the very commendable rank of 87.83.

An enjoyable birthday party was held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Riley of Tolman avenue upon the occasion of the 15th anniversary of the birth of their son, John. An excellent musical program was carried out and included among others, a song by Master Lawrence Riley, accompanied by Miss Josephine Tague. Refreshments were later served.

A committee composed of Mayor Perry D. Thompson, Mr. Bixby, Mr. Conway and Mr. Woodward of the high school, Coach Haggerty and Capt. Warren Mansur, will meet tomorrow afternoon to decide upon and officially award the track team letter to members of this year's team. As soon as this has been settled, next year's captain will be elected by the letter men. A man must have aggregated at least five points in one meet to be eligible for the letter.

Private Richard Ganley, son of Officer John Ganley of the police department, has returned to this country after extensive overseas service with the 101th Regiment. He is now in a general army hospital in New York. Private Ganley was wounded at Chateau-Thierry.e A brother, Charles, is serving with the Army of Occupation in Germany.

Commissioner Charles J. Morse of the water department has instructed the superintendent of the department to have men put to work adjusting watergates which are protruding from the sidewalk in various parts of the city. There has been considerable complaint and at this morning's meeting of the municipal council a claim was entered by a woman who had tripped over one of the watergates and caused personal injury. Members of the police department have also been asked to report any projections on their beats to the police station so that the water department may be later notified and a remedy effected.

Spartacans Mowed Down

Continued

tions in Lichtenberg this morning. The government forces took a large number of prisoners, many of whom were executed summarily.

The government troops entered Lichtenberg after bombarding the main Spartacan nests heavily. The Spartacans fled, leaving weapons and ammunition behind. The suburb was surrounded by government troops and the only chance the Spartacans had of escape was by discarding their weapons and concealing their identity by mingling with the peaceable inhabitants.

One group of 30 prisoners included 10 women. With their hands handcuffed behind them, the men and women were taken through the Unter Den Linden to the Moabit prison. In one Spartacan nest, it is reported, 20 Poles were captured. Government soldiers reported further details of the torture and murder of government soldiers and policemen by Spartacans.

The government issued a notice that the seven depots of the republican soldier guards had been abolished and that any former members of these depots caught with weapons would be executed. The government prepared to clean up all Spartacan districts thoroughly. Large quantities of arms and ammunition were discovered.

The Lichtenberg soldiers' and workmen's council composed of independent socialists and Spartacans, has been dissolved.

Acts of Cruelty

COPENHAGEN, March 13.—German government forces after lively fighting have driven the Spartacans out of the east end section of Berlin, including Lichtenberg, according to a Berlin despatch filed yesterday. The occupation of the district, the message states, was systematically carried out by the government troops. Considerable quantities of arms were captured. The losses on the government side are declared not to have been heavy.

"The bestial acts of cruelty by the Spartacans have been fully confirmed," the message adds.

Plan to Plunder City

LONDON, Wednesday, March 12.—A Copenhagen despatch says that the nature of the fighting between government troops and Spartacan bands in the eastern suburbs of Berlin indicates that local Spartacan groups have been formed for no other purpose than to plunder the city.

An Amsterdam telegram says that on one captured Spartacan were found jewels valued at 800,000 marks. He was executed.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks to all our friends who kindly assisted us in the hour of our bereavement at the death of our dear one, Veronica Noonan. We also feel very grateful to those who sent floral offerings and spiritual bouquets, especially her classmates at St. Michael's school.

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DEATHS

McCARTHY—Mrs. Mary McCarthy died yesterday at her home, 38 Laurel street. Deceased leaves six sons, Thomas H., who is a well known musician, and at present in Newark, N. J., William R., of the Boston Post staff, Andrew, John J., of Salem; Lieut. Arthur in France and Frederick L., also well known in local musical circles; one daughter, Mrs. John T. Masterson of this city; two sisters, Mrs. Smith D. Lougee of Greenville, N. H., and Miss Ann I. Ring.

O'LEARY—Timothy J. O'Leary, a former resident of Dracut, died Tuesday in Worcester as a result of injuries received from explosives. Deceased was well known in Lowell. He leaves a wife, Margaret, six children, John A., Daniel F., William A., Joseph, Thomas P. and Vincent D., and three sisters, Mrs. Samuel Stone, Mrs. William H. Hall and Mrs. Walter Byam.

HEALEY—The late Michael Healey who died at the Lowell hospital a few days ago is survived by a wife, Bridget Barry Healey, one son, John, of the Merchant Marine U.S.N., one daughter, Mrs. Chas. Shepard and one brother, Thomas. The body was taken to his home, 86 Summer street, by Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BERNIER—Marie Dorilda, infant daughter of Alfred and Rose Bernier, aged 1 year and 6 months, died last night at the home of her parents, 12 Branch street. Burial took place this afternoon at 1.30 o'clock in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

FUNERALS

MARKOVITZ—The funeral of Mrs. Sophie Markovitz took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 122 Chelmsford street, and was largely attended. Burial took place in the family lot in the Hebrew cemetery in Pelham, N. H., under the direction of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

KOSTARIS—The funeral of Arthur Kostaris took place yesterday afternoon from his home, 164 Cross street. Services were held at the Holy Trinity (Greek) church. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes. Burial was in Westlawn cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

McMENAMIN—The funeral of Mrs. Rose (McCann) McMenamin, beloved wife of Patrick McMenamin, took place this morning from her late home, 46 Lyons street at 8 o'clock and was largely attended by many sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated with Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan as celebrant, Rev. Daniel J. Keleher, as deacon, and Rev. Francis L. Shea as sub-deacon. Solos of the mass were sustained by Miss Mae Rynne and Mr. James E. Donnelly sang the Gregorian chant. Miss Gertrude Quigley presided at the organ. There were a profusion of beautiful floral tributes to testify to the high esteem in which the deceased was held as well as many spiritual bouquets. The bearers were Messrs. Patrick McCullon, John McMenamin, James McDonald, Frank McQuade, James E. and Arthur McCann. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the last solemn rites of the church were read at the grave by Rev. Fr. Heffernan. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

BENNETT—The funeral of Mrs. Nellie Corcoran Bennett, a former resident of this city, took place this morning from the Middlesex street depot on the arrival of the 10.27 train. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Services were held at the grave, Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

BUTLER—The funeral of Mrs. Annie Butler took place this morning from the funeral parlors of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons at 8.30 o'clock and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O.M.I. The choir under the direction of Mr. Charles P. Smith rendered the Gregorian chant. At the offertory Mr. Charles W. Brown rendered Leybach's Pie Jesu, Mrs. Hugh Walker presiding at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. Samuel O'Neil, John O'Connor, Frank Gravel and Frank Cummings. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Fr. McQuaid. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FUNERAL NOTICES

TANSEY—The funeral of Eugene A. Tansey will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from the home of his parents, 322 East Merrimack street. Solemn high mass of requiem at the Immaculate Conception church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

McCARTHY—The funeral of Mrs. Mary McCarthy will take place Friday morning from her late home, 38 Laurel street at 8 o'clock. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

HALEY—The funeral of Mr. Michael Haley will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 86 Summer street. A funeral mass will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

O'LEARY—The funeral of Timothy J. O'Leary will take place Friday morning from his home, 147 Main street, Worcester. A funeral mass will be sung at St. Vincent de Paul's church, Worcester, at 8 o'clock. The cortege will reach St. Patrick's cemetery at 11.30 a. m. where the burial will take place under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

WOMAN'S BRANCH CLUB

The Woman's Research club met with Mrs. John Simpson, 67 Methuen street, Tuesday afternoon. There was a large attendance. The meeting was opened by singing "The Star Spangled Banner." Following the business session Mrs. J. E. Langstaff presented the subject, "Michelangelo," in an interesting and thoroughly written paper which was interspersed with readings by Mrs. A. D. Milliken from Longfellow's "Michelangelo." Mrs. Fred L. Roberts gave several vocal selections in her usual pleasing manner, accompanied by Miss Helen Badger. A social period followed the program during which time the hostess served luncheon, assisted by Mrs. Auguste Sarre and Mrs. A. D. Milliken. The April meeting will be at the home of Mrs. C. H. Wing in School street.

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COUNCIL RECTIFIES LOAN ORDER

The municipal council held a special meeting at 11 o'clock this morning to rectify an oversight which it made at its last meeting in voting to borrow $35,000 for street paving. The loan was on a 10-year basis and for this reason it was deemed advisable to have the amount to be borrowed divisible by 10 for the convenience of the people who are to purchase the bonds.

The council first voted to rescind its action at last Tuesday's meeting in voting to borrow the $35,000 and then formally passed an order calling for the borrowing of $40,000.

Several routine matters were then taken care of. A petition from Victor Provencher for garage and gasoline at 15-17 West Third street was held over for a hearing April 1.

Similar action was taken on the petition of the Lajoie Coal Co. for garage and gasoline at 713 Gorham street.

The petition of Charles Dancause for gasoline at 93 Appleton street was likewise held for a hearing April 1.

The petition of Blanche E. Pratt that a sidewalk with edgestone be laid in front of the premises at 198 Fairmount street was referred to Commissioner Murphy.

A petition of claim for personal injuries from Katherine F. McNulty of 191 Hale street on account of injuries sustained from tripping over a projecting watergate in Hale street, was referred to the law department.

Adjourned at 11.07 until Tuesday at 10 a. m.

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NEW YORK, March 13.—Casual Company No. 1952 of Massachusetts, arrived today from Havre, on the Espagne, which brought a total of 534 troops, mostly casuals. Base hospital No. 30 also was aboard.

The 52nd field artillery brigade of the 27th division arrived on the America, which had 7013 passengers, including aero squadrons Nos. 13, 93 and 155, mobile hospital 105, casuals, nurses and civilians.

The Honolulu brought 114 troops from Bordeaux, comprising the advance school detachment of the Tenth field artillery brigade and casuals.

On the Atenas, also from Bordeaux, were 104 passengers, comprising 20 officers of headquarters of the 40th division, casuals and nurses.

The hospital ship Comfort brought 12 sick or wounded officers and 3903 men from Bordeaux. There were 570 sick or wounded on the America.

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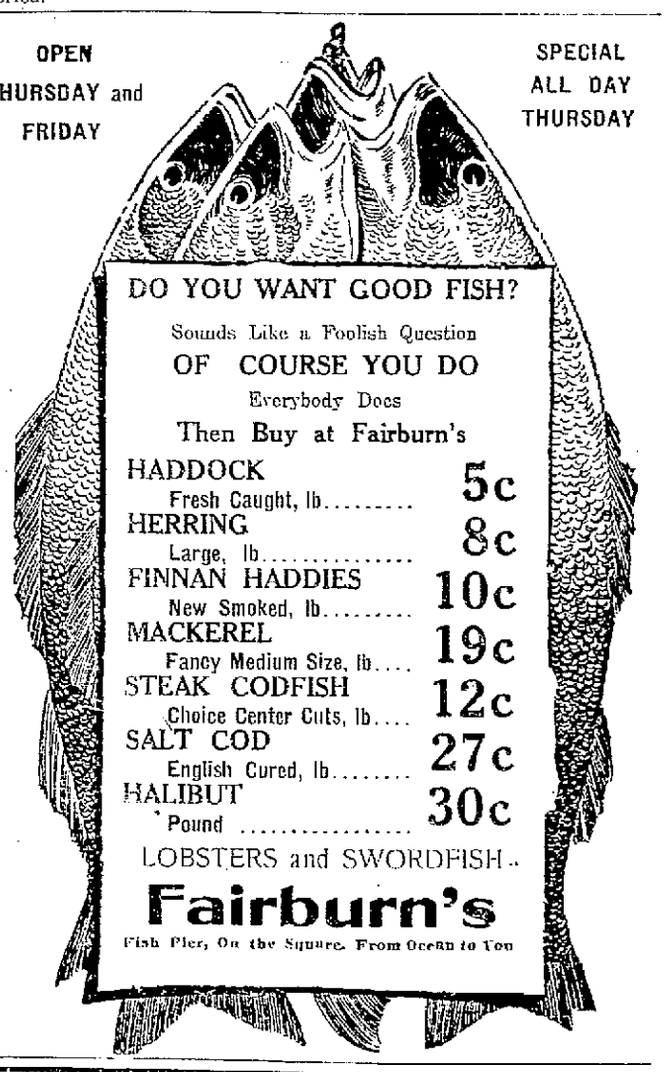

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Fresh Pork Loins	Fresh Pork Hocks	New York Pea Beans	Shredded Wheat,
Lb. ...24¢	Lb. ....19¢	8c, 2 lbs. 15c	Pkg. ...11¢

A Sale for Men

There's An Opportunity for 207 Men

To buy from a lot of last year's **SUITS**

That sold for $20 and $25, at the very low price of

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When you consider these suits are made from cloths that were made up before practically any increase in price, you'll recognize the excellent values. If you need a suit for service, step in and look them over.

Fraser's
MEN'S WEAR
86-88-90 MIDDLESEX ST.

LATEST

BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

SPRINGFIELD, March 13.—Officers of the Trolleymen's association are making plans for the polling of a strike vote by the association members tomorrow in accordance with a vote of the members early today.

GLOUCESTER, March 13.—Producers and buyers said to represent virtually the entire fish industry here, announced today their refusal to submit the demands of the Fishermen's unions to arbitration.

NEW LONDON, Conn., March 13.—It is officially announced here that the New London Baseball club will not take part in the Eastern league activities this season.

STOCKHOLM, Wednesday, March 12. —King Gustave dined with Ira Nelson Morris, American minister, last evening.

AMSTERDAM, N. Y., March 13—William Marshall, Jr., a well known landscape gardner, died at his home here last night after having been twice shot through the brain presumably by Mrs. Nellie Dery, with whom he lived.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Hearings on the controversy between the New Jersey Public Service corporation and its striking street car employes will begin here tomorrow morning before the war labor board.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Investigation of a report that negro workmen employed in steel plants at Coatsville, Pa., are being deported by the state constabulary, was ordered today by the department of labor.

NEW YORK, March 13.—The transport Panaman arrived from Bordeaux with 2153 troops. Units included the field and staff, headquarters company, supply company, ordnance and medical detachments and batteries A, B, C, D, E and F, of the 49th Regiment Coast Artillery corps; a detachment of the 72nd Regiment Coast Artillery and the fifth corps, artillery park.

GMYREK LOSES BIG SUM OF MONEY

"I have lost every dollar I owned, I am out of work and I haven't even got 15 cents to buy a quart of milk for my babies."

This statement was made this morning by Jozef Gmyrek of 4, rear of 44 Cross street, when he called at the police station to ask the police to help him find the $2500 or more he lost Monday morning while going to his home from the Five Cents Savings bank.

Mr. Gmyrek stated that Monday after deciding to purchase a piece of real estate at the corner of East Merrimack and High streets, he borrowed over $1500 from a relative and then went to the bank and drew his savings, which amounted to a little over $900. He put all the money together and placed the roll in the inside pocket of his overcoat and went directly to his home, but upon entering the house he found that his money was gone. He has inserted "ads" in local newspapers, but so far his efforts to recover the money have been fruitless, and as a last resort he asked the police to do something for him.

Mr. Gmyrek came to this country from Poland about nine years ago and shortly after his arrival in Lowell he was married. He and his wife worked steadily in the mills and through the most rigid economy succeeded in saving $900, despite the fact that three children were born to them. Mr. Gmyrek's last employment was at the Tremont & Suffolk mills, but he has been out of work for the past two weeks, and the loss of his money is a great blow to him and his wife.

When questioned at the police station Mr. Gmyrek stated that after drawing his money from the bank he went directly to his home and did not stop nor speak to anyone en route and cannot account for the mysterious disappearance of his roll. He feels his loss terribly and offers a very substantial reward for the recovery of his money.

WEATHER PREDICTION

NEW YORK, March 13.—The weather bureau today issued the following announcement:

"Northeast storm warning hoisted 10 a. m., Sandy Hook to Eastport; north, shifting to northeast gales this afternoon and tonight; much colder weather."

DOCTORS HAND OUT LIVE TIPS

Take Public Into Confidence

Prominent physicians claim people fail in life because of "nerve hunger" that it is the active bright-eyed, strong nerved man or woman who is "there" at work or play.

Strong, well nourished nerves is the great secret of success, health and happiness.

Men and women try to live regardless of health, strength, ambition, energy and hope, they exceed the speed limits, wasting nerve strength and energy and fail to store up reserve force, afterwards they only exist, life has no joys.

Without energy, ambition, strong nerves, and pure blood one cannot hope to enjoy the fullest measure of success and happiness.

A noted specialist says, "Phosphated Iron brings strength to the blood, nerves and brain, that it is a perfect combination of vital elements of great tonic qualities when taken by 'Nervesick humans', that it will increase body and nerve energy, restore ambition and staying powers".

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DOES A TRAINING TRIP REQUIRE A BASEBALL OUTFIT?

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, March 13.—Bullish activity in recent speculative favorites was resumed at the opening today, while standard shares were in the background. Texas Company in the first half hour added six points to yesterday's 11 point advance, while Industrial Alcohol supplemented yesterday's substantial gain with five points more. Moderate advances were registered by prominent motors, equipments and affiliated issues.

Additional gains were made by oil, motor, distilling leather and fertilizer shares during the morning. Shippings also hardened. The advance was occasionally halted by offerings of rails, steels and coppers. The annual report of the Republic Iron & Steel Co., and further indications of unsettlement in the metal industry accounted for the irregularity of those issues. The only material change among rails was a two point decline in St. Paul. At noon Industrial Alcohol, equipments and various specialties led another spirited advance.

The noon rally was of short duration, prices reacting sharply later. Texas Company dropped six points and Industrial Alcohol and Mexican Petroleum four each. In the motor and tobacco divisions, declines ran from two to six points, and all the steel issues were under fresh pressure.

Industrial Alcohol was the feature of the last hour, increasing its gain to 15 points and effecting rallies in the general list. The closing was firm.

New York Clearings

NEW YORK, March 13.—Exchanges $615,695,885; balances $11,475,136.

Cotton Futures

NEW YORK, March 13.—Cotton futures opened barely steady: March, old, 26.70; new, 28.25; May, old, 24.12; new, 24.35; July, old, 23.05; new, 23.40; Oct., old, 21.50; new, 22.10; Dec., old, 21.85; new, 21.55.

Cotton futures closed steady: March, old, 26.55 new, ——; May, old, 23.98; new, 24.31; July, old, 23.05; new, 23.40; Oct., old, 21.75; new, 21.14; Dec., old, ——; new, 21.93. Stop steady; middling 28.30.

Money Market

NEW YORK, March 13.—Time loans, firm; 60 days, 90 days and six months, 5½ to 5¾.

Call money steady. High, 5; low, 4¾; ruling rate, 5; closing bid, 4¾; offered at 5; last loan, 5; bank acceptances, 4¾.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	35⅝	35	35
Am Can	49⅞	47	48
do pf	103	103	103
Am Car & F	93½	92⅝	92¾
Am Cot Oil	45¼	45	45¼
Am H & L	19⅛	18⅝	18⅝
do pf	100½	98½	99
Am Loco	68¼	67¼	68
Am Smelt	69⅞	68	68⅝
do pf	105⅝	105	105⅝
Am Sug	119¾	119	119
Am Sumatra	116⅞	113⅝	115½
Am Wool	66⅛	65½	66⅛
Anaconda	62	61	61¼
Atch	93⅝	92½	92¾
do pf	88¼	88¼	88¼
At Gulf	109⅞	107½	109
Baldwin	89½	86½	88⅞
B & O	49½	49	49
Beth Steel B	67¼	65	66⅝
do pf 8%	101½	104½	104½
B R T	23½	23½	23½
Cal Pete	27⅞	26⅛	26¾
do pf	74½	74¼	74¼
Can Pac	163½	163	163½
Cent Lea	71	67⅞	71
Ches & O	59¾	59¼	59½
C & Gt W	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
C R I & P	25	24¾	24¾
Chile	18¾	18⅜	18¼
Col G & E	46¼	45½	45¾
Col Fuel	41½	41	41
Corn Prod	52¼	50⅝	51¾
do pf	107	107	107
Cru Steel	68¾	64¾	67¾
Cuba Cane	23½	22¾	23½
Del & Hud	108	108	108
Dis Sec	63	61½	63
Erie	17¾	17½	17¾
do 1st	29½	29⅜	29⅜
Gen Elec	158¼	158⅛	158⅛
Gen Motors	162½	160	161⅞
Gt No pf	94	93¾	93¾
Gt N Ore ctf	44⅛	43⅛	43½
Ill Cen	99¾	99½	99½
Int Met Com	5⅞	5¾	5⅞
do pf	20	20	20
Int Mer Mar	25⅞	25	25⅝
do pf	109	107	107¼
Int Paper	40½	40¼	40⅛
Kennecott	30¾	30⅜	30⅝
K City So	20¾	20	20
Lack Steel	70¼	70	70
Lehigh Val	55¾	55¼	55¾
L & Nash	115¼	115¼	115¼
Maxwell	37	37	37
do 1st	62¼	61½	61⅞
do 2d	27¼	26¾	26¾
Mex Pet	188¼	185	186¼
Midvale	46¼	45½	45⅞
Mo Pac	24⅞	24½	24½
Nat Lead	68½	68½	68½
N Y Air B	110½	108	109⅞
N Y Cent	76½	76½	76¼
N Y & N H	32½	31⅞	32½
No Pac	94	93½	93¾
Pac Mail	32	32	32
Penn	44⅞	44⅝	44⅝
Pan	83½	81⅝	82½
Pitts Coal	49	48	49
Pitts	37⅝	36¾	37⅝
Pres Steel	71	69½	71
Pullman	121½	120⅝	120⅝
Ry St Sp Co	83	79½	82
Reading	85½	84	85¼
Rep I & S	81½	81⅞	82½
St Paul	40	38½	39
Sloss	56½	55	56½
So Pac	103½	102½	103
So Ry	29⅝	29	29¼
do pf	68⅛	68	68
Stude	65½	62½	62⅞
Tenn Cop	12⅞	12⅝	12⅝
Tex Pac	33⅞	32¾	32⅞
U Pac	130	129¾	130
U S I Al	141½	128¼	140¼
U S Rub	83⅞	81½	82½
U S Steel	97¼	95⅝	96⅝
do pf	114¼	114¼	114
Utah Cop	72¼	71½	72
Va Chem	57¼	57	57¼
Wab	8½	8½	8½
do A	35	34½	34½
Willys	27⅞	27½	27½
Wes'house	46¼	45⅝	45¾
Wes Un	88¾	88¾	88¾

BOSTON, March 13.—The local market moved in narrow limits during the early hours today. Shoe Machinery sagged half a point and United Fruit advanced ⅝.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
A A Chem	106	104½	105⅞
Ahmeek	69	69	69
Al Gold	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Am Pneu	60	60	60
Am T & T	107⅝	107	107
Am Wool	66	65½	65½
do pf	101	101	101
Amer Zinc	12½	12	12
Ariz Com	12	11½	11½
Bos El	68	68	68
Butte & Sup	19	18⅝	19
Cal & Hec	405	401	401
Cent Steel	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
Chino	34¾	34⅛	34½
Cop Range	41	41	41
Daly West	3	3	3
Fairbanks	56	55¾	55¾
Franklin	3	3	3
Greene Can	43½	43½	43½
Inspiration	47¼	46¾	46¾
Island Oil	8⅛	8	8
Lake	3½	3½	3½
La Salle	2½	2½	2½
Mass Elec	1⅝	1½	1⅝
do pf	9½	7½	7½
Mass Gas	83⅝	83½	83⅝
Miami	23¼	23	23
Mohawk	51	51	51
Nevada	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝
N E Tel	95¾	95¾	95¾
Old Dom	32½	32	32
Pond Creek	13	13	13
Ray Con	20	20	20
Stewart	39	39	39
Shannon	2½	2½	2½
Shat Ariz	10¼	10	10¼
Swift & Co	129	128½	128½
Trinity	2¾	2¾	2¾
U Fruit	174¾	173¾	173¾
U Metal	2¼	2⅛	2⅛
U Sh M	49	48½	49
do pf	28¼	28¼	28¼
U S Smel	50¾	50¼	50¼
Ventura	10	10	10
Walworth Mfg Co	17⅝	17½	17⅝

APPALLING SITUATION CONFRONTS EUROPE

PARIS, Wednesday, March 12 (By the Associated Press).—"I doubt if America has begun to comprehend the seriousness of the appalling situation which confronts Europe, and the wreck which the whole fabric of civilization may be facing," said Frank A. Vanderlip to the Associated Press today. He has been investigating conditions in England and France and will continue his inquiries in Switzerland and Italy.

"America was once told there might be peace without victory," he said. "What we have is victory without peace. Production has ceased, and unless production can be speedily resumed, one's imagination cannot comprehend the chaos which may ensue.

"The first essential step is fixing the terms of peace. The danger from delay cannot be overestimated."

OPEN KIEL CANAL TO THE WORLD

PARIS, March 13.—The status of the Kiel canal has been settled by the commission on the basis of the freedom of use for all nations for merchant vessels or warships in time of peace. The canal would continue under German ownership and operation.

HUN ENVOYS SHALL NOT PASS GATES OF PARIS

PARIS, March 13 (By A.P.).—When the time for the signing of the peace treaty arrives, it is understood, Germany's representatives will be housed in one of the palaces at Versailles and will not be permitted to enter Paris, as the French government does not care to undertake to afford protection to Germans in Paris.

While the German signatories will not actually be prisoners and must not be treated as such, public sentiment against Germany is so high in Paris that the French government is unwilling to risk unpleasant incidents which might occur were the official German representatives to appear publicly.

THE GRANTING OF LIQUOR LICENSES

The power of the local license commission to issue licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors for any part of the license year beginning next May applies to special club licenses as well as other licenses, according to an opinion given to the license commission today by City Solicitor William D. Regan.

Mr. Regan maintains that the provisions of chapter 100, section 88, of the revised laws, give this permission.

The commission has also asked Mr. Regan for an opinion on the following situation:

"An application for a motor bus license has been filed with the license commission, the applicant also submitting a copy of a motor bus bond in the sum of two hundred dollars ($200.00), approved by the authorities in an adjoining city in this commonwealth.

"As you are aware the local motor bus ordinance provides that a $5000.00 bond be approved before the commission may issue a license.

"The license commission would therefore respectfully ask whether or not, in your opinion, they would be required to grant a license to the applicant above referred to, assuming that he is a fit person to receive a license?"

In reply, Mr. Regan opines that the commission has no alternative but to decline to issue a license and let the courts determine the matter or the legislature amend the existing act.

The local license commission requires a $5000 bond while in certain adjoining cities, notably Lawrence, a bond of only $200 is considered adequate. The public service commission has been appealed to by the local authorities to stabilize the amount of the bonds required in various cities and towns of the commonwealth but as yet not definite results has been forthcoming.

UNIVERSALISTS IN CONFERENCE HERE

Nearly 150 people were in attendance at the First Universalist church yesterday at the two sessions of the Merrimack valley conference. The morning meeting was addressed by Rev. L. S. McCollester of Tufts college, president of the general convention, while the afternoon speaker was Rev. Vincent T. Tomlinson of Worcester.

Dr. McCollester spoke of the drive which Universalists are making for 1920, and which includes the raising of $1,000,000, for the furtherance of the church work. Also in 1920 it is planned to have a fitting celebration of the landing in this country of John Murray and the following organization of the Universalist church in Massachusetts.

Rev. Mr. Tomlinson's topic in the afternoon was "Why Churches Live, and Why They Die." Luncheon was served at noon, and Haverhill was announced as the next place for the convening of the conference, in April.

NEW ENGLAND NAMES ON CASUALTY LIST

The casualty list for today contains the name of Lieut. Raymond B. Messer, of the aviation branch of the army, recorded as having died as the result of an aeroplane accident. This sad news reached Lowell somewhat prior to this announcement and The Sun announced the fact of the brave young aviator's death and necessary details a number of days ago. Lieut. Messer was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Bradley A. Messer of 63 A street, Lowell.

Killed in Action

Pr. Herman Kaskinem, 611½ Millbury st., Worcester, Mass.
Pr. John J. Mayer, 31 Almont st., Malden, Mass.

Died of Wounds

Pr. Joo Ciserilla, box 363, Sagamore, Mass.

Died of Disease

Lieut. David E. Henry, 24 Harvest st., Boston, Mass.
Lieut. George S. Norton, 10 Wood st., Baystate, Northampton, Mass.
Cor. Charles L. Roberts, 25 Westford ave., Stafford Springs, Conn.
Pr. Willard C. Pike, 8 Latham st., Williamstown, Mass.
Pr. John F. Potter, 39 Pleasant st., East Hartford, Conn.
Pr. Leonard W. Wands, 938 Tremont Bldg., Boston, Mass.

Wounded Severely

Lt. Clarence C. Scarborough, Windsor, Conn.
Pr. Jesse S. Ferry, 5 Columbia road, Lexington, Mass.

Died from Aeroplane Accident

Lt. Raymond B. Messer, 63 A st., Lowell, Mass.
Cor. Gordon G. Warren, 7 Elm st., St. Albans, Vt.
Pr. Vincenzo Brandolini, 48 Collis st., New Haven, Conn.
Pr. Raymond M. Dailey, West Derby, Vt.

Died of Disease

Pr. Walter L. Doherty, 110 East Canton st., Boston, Mass.
Pr. Clarence B. Huntley, Rockland, Me.
Pr. Charles B. Kendall, 17 South Arlington st., Cambridge, Mass.

Missing in Action

Pr. Carmine D'Alol, 50 Lane st., South Norwalk, Conn.
Pr. Frank Sylvia, New Bedford, Mass.

Killed in Action, Previously Reported Died

Pr. Harry Fast, 120 Minor st., New Haven, Conn.

Died from Wounds, Previously Reported Died

Pr. William J. Brailsford, 1057 Eddy st., Providence, R. I.

Missing in Action, Previously Reported Severely Wounded

Pr. Felix Lereau, Warren, Mass.

Wounded (Degree Undetermined), Previously Reported Missing in Action

Pr. Jan. Burse, 21 Spruce st., Worcester, Mass.
Pr. Albert Conti, 57 Anson st., Derby, Conn.
Pr. Arvid L. Kindstedt, 232 Greenwood st., Auburn, R. I.
Pr. Alexander Wirwas, Lynn, Mass.

TO CLASSIFY MOSQUITOES

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Medical officers at all army camps throughout the country have been ordered by Surgeon General Ireland to obtain one or more specimens of every specie of mosquito found in the vicinity of their camps. The mosquitoes will be classified and placed in the army medical museum.

ARRESTED FOR LARCENY

Three boys, aged 11, 12 and 15 years respectively, were arrested this noon by Traffic Officer Moloney on charges of larceny. Teh boys, so it is claimed, were caught stealing in the store of Bartlett & Dow in Central street and were turned over to the officer. When searched at the station the lads had in their pockets a knife and a wrench, which they confessed they stole from the Adams Hardware Co., as well as a jack nife and a box of rat corn, which they purloined in Bartlett & Dow's store. They were booked for larceny and ordered to appear at the juvenile session of the police court tomorrow morning.

BANQUET AT ARMORY

Company C of the Massachusetts state guard, with a number of invited guests, enjoyed a banquet last evening at the armory, and those attending were unanimous in voting the affair one of the most successful ever conducted by the organization. Several speakers entertained at the close of the repast, among them Lieut. White of the Canadian flying corps, who gave an interesting recital of his experience overseas. Capt. Jeyes also spoke briefly on military matters of the day, and the final speaker was Capt. Jones, a well known state guard man.

LEMONS BRING OUT THE HIDDEN BEAUTY

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At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan, and is the ideal skin softener, smoothener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It naturally should help to soften, freshen, bleach and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin.—Adv.

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ALL-ROUND MACHINISTS, two or three. Preferably discharged soldiers. Call Reliance Toggle and Machine company, cor. Tanner and Lincoln sts.

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BOYS wanted to sell vanilla after school hours and Saturdays. Send $1.00 for eight bottles that retail for 25c each. Send postcard for free sample bottle. Wakefield Extract Co., Sanbornville, N. H., 1943 J. 17.

PANTMAKER and pant finishers apply at once. M. Marks Co., tailors, Central st.

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GUINEA PIGS wanted. Call 56 Wilder st., except Saturday and Sunday evenings.

WASHINGS wanted at 20 Daly st., wet or rough dry; up one flight; right hand side.

WASHING and ironing wanted at 25 North Franklin st. Mrs. Scanlon.

LOST AND FOUND

BROWN LEATHER SUITCASE lost week of March 3d, between 267 Middlesex st. and 8 Western ave. Reward at 267 Middlesex st.

BICYCLE inscribed Black Beauty stolen from basement of postoffice. Finder please return to postoffice or 16 Carter ave. and receive reward.

AIREDALE, black and tan with little grey over head; wore new collar, without name, lost. Finder please return to No. 1 Autumn st., and receive reward.

BUNCH OF KEYS lost Wednesday on Central, Merrimack or Bridge sts. Finder return to F. S., The Sun office. Reward.

WHITE SPITZ DOG lost Wednesday on Bridge st. near Pelham. Tel. 2-14, Pelham. E. A. Gilbert. Reward.

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2-TENEMENT HOUSE, near Westford st, for sale; 5 rooms to each; newly painted inside and out; yearly rental $365. Bargain, $2500. Easy terms. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

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6.23	7.28	6.00	7.12
6.45	7.30	7.35	8.28
b6.30	7.53	nb8.21	9.37
6.57	8.00	9.00	9.41
7.23	8.10	9.30	10.11
7.56	8.37	12.30	1.13
9.01	9.12	b1.05	1.53
9.50	10.55	2.15	3.15
11.13	11.56	2.50	3.43
12.15	1.08	4.00	4.44
1.47	2.35	4.05	5.27
2.45	3.41	5.00	5.44
b3.30	4.12	b5.21	6.37
4.14	5.00	5.38	6.38
4.17	5.20	b5.18	7.10
5.30	6.40	6.14	7.23
b6.03	7.25	8.00	8.43
7.38	8.24	8.50	9.13
9.00	9.46	10.30	11.40
9.45	10.31	11.30	12.36

Portland Division

To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
6.53	7.56	z5.35	8.21
10.58	12.03	10.45	11.53
5.14pm	6.45	3.26	4.40
7.12	8.25	5.14	6.18
9.50	11.01	6.55	8.20
		9.50	11.13

Sunday Trains Portland Division

12.07	1.20	3.20	4.42
3.40	4.46	6.10	6.43
5.41	7.10	8.45	9.50
8.55	10.05		

Sunday Trains Southern Division

6.45	7.30	8.45	9.63
7.23	8.10	9.30	10.11
8.25	9.35	1.00	2.08
9.10	10.12	5.30	6.26
10.20	11.17	7.15	8.24
2.52	3.35	8.00	8.48
5.08	6.00	8.30	9.12
8.20	9.05	9.25	10.35
8.50	10.00	10.25	11.44
9.45	10.40		

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RESTRICT IMMIGRATION INTO PALESTINE

NEW YORK, March 13.—Restriction of immigration into Palestine to 50,000 a year during the first period of development of the new Jewish commonwealth set up under British trusteeship, has been decided upon by the inter-allied Zionist conference in London, according to cable advices to the Zionist organization of America, made public here today.

Clearing houses for this immigration, it was stated, would be established in London and a neutral country.

The conference adopted the suggestion of Bernard A. Rosenblatt, one of the 20 American delegates, that land speculation in the new state be prevented by confiscation through taxation of the unearned increment on real estate resulting from the British occupation. Assessments, it was stated, would be based on valuations prevailing in August, 1914, so that the community, Jew and Gentile alike, rather than the landlords, would receive the benefits growing out of increased values.

KILL SUNDAY BASEBALL

CONCORD, N. H., March 13.—The state senate today, 12 to 10, killed a bill designed to liberalize the Sunday laws by permitting the playing of base ball, golf and other games, under proper conditions. The house ordered to a third reading a bill upon which the senate has yet to act, to equalize educational opportunities by state aid for the schools of the smaller towns. Also sent to a third reading by the house was a bill providing a 48-hour work week for women and minors under 18, when adopted by all the New England states and two-thirds of the states of the Union. Employes of hotels, restaurants and laundries would be excepted from the provisions of the law.

Professor Says: "Internal Baths Give Best Results"

Horace T. Dodge, M.D., Professor of Materia Medica, 25 Jacobson Bldg., Denver, writes Tyrrell's Hygienic Institute of New York as follows:

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To Curb Seditious Utterances

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 13.—Mayor Gainer after a conference with the police commissioners today, announced that means of curbing seditious or inflammatory utterances has been decided upon and that the police executives will shortly announce its policy. The meeting today followed conferences between the mayor and United States District Attorney Harvey A. Baker.

Rioters Attack Newark Cars

NEWARK, N. J., March 13.—Shortly after officials of the Public Service Railway corporation had announced, this afternoon, that the controversy involving its striking employes would be submitted to the War Labor board in Washington tomorrow, rioting broke out here. A crowd of strikers and sympathizers stormed two trolley cars, attacking the crew and smashing windows. Two men were removed to a hospital. Two strikers and a sympathizer, a soldier in uniform, were arrested.

IT'S NOT YOUR HEART IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Kidney disease is no respecter of persons. A majority of the ills afflicting people today can be traced back to the kidney trouble.

The kidneys are the most important organs of the body. They are the filterers of your blood. If the poisons which are swept from the tissues by the blood are not eliminated through the kidneys, disease of one form or another will claim you as a victim.

Kidney disease is usually indicated by weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, despondency, backache, stomach trouble, pains in loins and lower abdomen, gall stones, gravel, rheumatism, sciatica and lumbago.

All these derangements are nature's signals that the kidneys need help. You should use GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. The soothing, healing oil stimulates the kidneys, relieves inflammation and destroys the germs which have caused it. Go to your druggist today and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. In twenty-four hours you should feel health and vigor returning.

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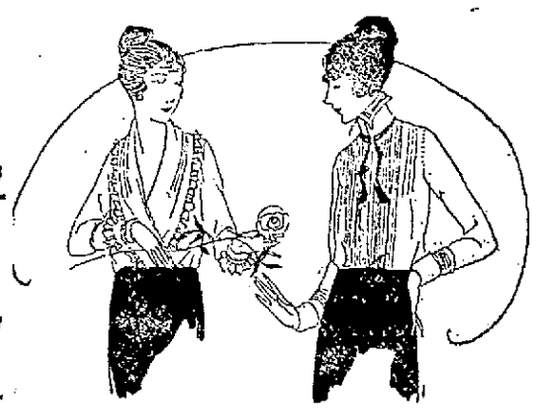

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OPPOSES GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP OF ROADS

BOSTON, March.—Opposition to government ownership or operation of the railroads was expressed by President Daniel Willard of the Baltimore & Ohio and formerly a member of the National Railroad administration, before the chamber of commerce today. Mr. Willard outlined his idea of proper legislation as follows:

"A practicable solution, I believe, will be had if congress as a minimum program will (a) provide a definite workable rule for rate making by fixing an adequate percentage ratio of railway operating income to the combined property investment account of the railroads as a whole, (b) authorize the railroads to combine their properties and operations, subject to governmental approval, when shown to be in the public interest (c) authorize the carriers to issue securities for construction, equipment, enlargement of their properties and for the refunding of obligations, subject to exclusive control of the federal commission, and (d) will enlarge and expand the powers of the interstate commerce commission, so that it can deal more promptly with matters requiring its determination."

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HEALTH TALK

The stomach and bowels are one continuous piece of human machinery—the largest in the body—and do the most work.

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WIRED "FISHPLATES" TO B. & M. TRACKS

LEOMINSTER, March 13.—Charles Robbins, aged 17, and George Robbins, 15, brothers, were arrested here this afternoon, charged with wiring about a dozen "fishplates" to rails of the east and west bound tracks of the Boston & Maine railroad, about three-fourths of a mile east of the North Leominster station. The plates were discovered by a track walker. The boys told the police they wished to see the train flatten the plates.

NEGOTIATIONS AT END

Break Between German Delegates and Inter-Allied Mission to Poland

PARIS, March 13.—The negotiations at Posen, between the German delegates and members of the inter-allied mission to Poland over the Polish frontier situation, have been broken off by the German delegates according to the Berlin Taeglische Rundschau, as quoted in a despatch to the Journal from Zurich. The Germans have already left Posen "as a protest against their treatment by the allies," the newspaper reports.

RIGHTS OF WOMEN

War Labor Board Hears Arguments in Favor of Women Conductors

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The right of Cleveland's women street car employes to their jobs, in spite of male opposition, was taken up today by the war labor board. To end a strike the board some time ago recommended that the women be discharged.

Frank P. Walsh, formerly joint chairman of the board, as counsel, appeared for the women. Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, honorary president of the American Woman Suffrage association, was called as a witness.

Mr. Walsh argued that a woman's right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness was dependent on her right of equality in industry with men.

Dr. Shaw said: "A woman has as much right to any job as a man has. The only question is capability. I have noticed, by the way, that men never object to the kind of work women undertake, unless the pay is sufficient to make the same jobs tempting to them."

Miss Mary Van Kleeck, director of the women-in-industry service of the labor department, said: "A favorable decision on this case will give women freedom to contribute their best energies to the industries of the nation in peace as they have done in war."

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FRELINGHUYSEN DECLINES DEBATE

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Senator Frelinghuysen of New Jersey, Republican, made public today a letter written to Everett Colby of West Orange, N. J., asking information regarding features of the League of Nations constitution, which Mr. Frelinghuysen said, he had been unable to obtain from President Wilson or Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, retiring chairman of the senate foreign relations committee.

A series of questions on the effect and interpretation of the league charter was presented to Mr. Colby by the New Jersey senator, asking whether the league as now proposed would interfere with existing secret treaties among European powers, whether the United States would be outvoted, whether it would require submission of domestic questions, whether it would require the United States to use its military forces in maintaining territorial claims of any foreign nation, and whether it would prohibit withdrawal of the United States from the compact without unanimous consent.

Senator Frelinghuysen submitted the questionnaire in response to an invitation from Mr. Colby for a debate, which the senator said he was unable to accept.

British Importations

Continued

expectation of doing business again immediately after the close of the struggle.

The process of obtaining import licenses is that each prospective importer must present his case to the board of trade and to the controller of imports. Each case is dealt with on its merits, as the controller judges it from the importer's standpoint, and the board of trade's first consideration is whether the goods in question can be obtained from English firms. If they can, the license is refused. If the importer makes out a particularly strong case for special consideration, he will be permitted to ship limited quantities.

Conspicuous among the American products which find themselves against what virtually amounts to a stonewall, are motors, boots and typewriters. The last named cost from $200 to $300 in England today.

It is said a great British company which has hitherto devoted its plant to the manufacture of implements of war is transforming its works into factories for the manufacture of typewriting machines. Sir Donald MacLean, liberal leader, asked of the house of commons on Monday whether the government had not given guarantees to the soapmaking industry. France is concerned with that question, because Marseilles has hitherto been the world's most important base for soap products and it is reported that an English interest has planned big works here.

The self-governing dominions of Great Britain are exempt from the difficulties of the government's policy imposed on foreign merchants.

The Associated Press attempts merely to describe the situation because it is a subject of greatest interest to business men everywhere and a source of controversy between different schools of British economists. It is looked upon as the beginning of an important chapter in the after-the-war economic adjustment. The arguments of the free traders have been roughly summarized by the Morning Post, which is the strongest protectionist paper in Great Britain. It also points out the possible weakness of the temporary licensing measure, saying:

"We believe the licensing system is a vicious system. It leads to favoritism and corruption and leaves too much discretion in the hands of officials. At the beginning of the war, if the government had been honest, it would have accepted the logic of the situation and imposed a tariff but sooner or later a tariff must come."

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